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Commencing Monday, March 21st,
THE PYKE OPERA COMPANY,
—INCLUDING—
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Together with a full company and chorus,
40 —IN ALL— 40
In a series of new Operas.
REPERTOIRE:
Monday.....PRINCE METHUSALEM.
Tuesday.....QUEEN'S LACE HANDKERCHIEF
Wednesday.....THE OATH OF LOVE.
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Friday.....PRINCE METHUSALEM.
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Saturday night.....CHIMES OF NORMANDY.
POPULAR PRICES.
Reserved seats, $1; admission, 50 cents. Reserved seats on sale Friday, March 18th.

WASHINGTON GARDENS.
OSTRICH FARM NOW OPEN!
Take Main-street car; stops at the gate.
HORTICULTURAL, BOTANICAL AND ZOOLOGICAL DISPLAY!
Admission.....Twenty-five cents.
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DO NOT FAIL TO PASS A PLEASANT hour inspecting the new and beautiful assortment of Los Angeles, Pasadena and other views, at TABER'S branch view department, in Nadeau House, adjoining parlor.

Special Notices.

IF NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, by resolution passed on the 16th day of March, 1887, the executive committee of the Los Angeles Athletic Club has determined to redeem the certificates of indebtedness issued in 1881 and 1882.
The manner of redemption shall be by drawing numbers corresponding with the numbers of each certificate, and these drawn at the regular meeting of the executive committee, not to exceed twenty in number, nor less than ten, will be paid upon presentation at the office of the financial secretary.
A. M. LAWRENCE, Chairman Executive Committee. J. S. THAYER, Recording Secretary.

IF TO THE MEMBERS OF THE LOS Angeles Board of Trade—Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Board of Trade will be held at the rooms of the Board, No. 2 to 4, Baker block, on Monday evening, April 11th, at 7:30 p.m. The reports of the officers for the past year will be received, and election of a Board of Directors for the ensuing year be held, and any other business that may properly and legally be brought before the meeting will be transacted. E. L. STERN, President. A. M. LAWRENCE, Secretary.

IF DISSOLVED—THE FIRM OF Lamb & Griffin, real estate and loan agents, doing business at 19 W. First st., this city, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. W. H. Griffin retiring from the firm and being succeeded by Mr. Henry L. Tubbs, late of Minneapolis, Minn. The style of the new firm will be Lamb & Tubbs, who will continue business at the old office. Dated March 16, 1887.
CHAS. C. LAMB.
W. H. GRIFFIN.

IF ATTENTION, SIR KNIGHTS—THE members of Cœur de Lion Commandery No. 9, K. T., will report at their Asylum at 11 o'clock a.m., sharp, tomorrow (Thursday), March 24th, in full uniform, to escort the remains of Sir Knight Kitchener, late a member of Visalia Commandery, to the railroad depot. T. H. WARD, E. C.

FIVE CENTS A LINE.

To Let.

To Let—Rooms.

TO LET—DESIRABLE, SUNNY, NEWly furnished rooms, with board; two car lines pass door. 601 Aliso ave., Boyle Heights.

TO LET—AT 451 S. MAIN ST., LARGE, airy, bright and sunny rooms, with or without board. MISS R. LAWRENCE.

TO LET—NICELY-FURNISHED rooms, suitable for light housekeeping, at reasonable prices, at 838 S. Olive st.

TO LET—ROOMS, FURNISHED OR unfurnished. Call at 127 S. Hayes st., close to Downey ave.

TO LET-THREE FURNISHED ROOMS, suitable for housekeeping, at $25 a month. 14 Regent st.

TO LET—ROOMS AND BOARD, AT the new and elegant house, 506 Fort st., cor 6th.

TO LET—TWO BEAUTIFUL FRONT rooms and a sunny suite. 127 S. Fort st.

TO LET—PLEASANT FURNISHED rooms, with board at 214 W. Second st.

To Let—Houses.

TO LET—A NEW HOUSE, READY TO occupy by the 1st of April; two stories and basement, with modern improvements, nine rooms, halls, etc., at monthly rent of $6 per room to a responsible party. D. A. STERN, 36 Clay st., between Third and Fourth sts., west of Hill st.

TO LET—EAST LOS ANGELES, COTtage, barn, etc., together with over 4 acres of late, cheap, for immediate tenant. Apply THE LOS ANGELES REAL ESTATE CO., 25 Temple.

TO LET—FOR ONE YEAR, ON BOYLE Heights, good house of 6 rooms, with 12½ acres of land; 5 acres in bearing fruit. Apply to JOHN J. JONES & CO., 283 N. Main st., new P. O. building.

TO LET—10-ROOM HOUSE IN FIRSTclass locality; furniture all new and for sale at a bargain that is a bargain. Lose no time in calling on COLBY & NARRAMORE, No. 14 W. First st.

TO LET—HOUSE OF 7 ROOMS, NEAR Seventh st.; two-story house, in good order, and good garden. Apply to The Los Angeles Real Estate Company, 25 Temple st.

TO LET — TWO-STORY, TEN-ROOM house; whole, or in floors; pleasant location, ten minutes' from City Hall by Sixth-st. cars. Apply 7 Bellevue Place.

TO LET—TWO OR FOUR NICELYfurnished, sunny rooms, suitable for housekeeping. 424 Seventh st., corner Grand ave.

TO LET—HOUSE OF FIVE ROOMS, hard finish, closets, pantry, bathroom, etc. No. 19 Regent st. Enquire on the premises.

TO LET—FURNISHED HOUSE OF 5 rooms, stable, etc.; nice home; rent, $30. R. VERCH, Room 80, Temple block.

TO LET—HOUSE OF 5 ROOMS; FURniture, of best quality, for sale. 305 E. Fourth st., two blocks from Main.

TO LET—HOUSE OF 7 ROOMS, ON Main st. Apply to J. R. TRUE, 34 N. Spring st.

To Let—Miscellaneous.

TO LET—ALL HAVING PROPERTY to rent send particulars to the Los Angeles Real Estate Company, 25 Temple st. The company has large demand for furnished and unfurnished houses.

TO LEASE-ON LONG TIME, VACANT lot, 60x128, only four blocks from postoffice; price, $75 a month; only those that mean business need apply. DAY & SIDDALL, No. 10 N. Main st.

TO LET—A DESIRABLE OFFICE. INquire at room 19, University Bank block.

For Sale.

For Sale—City Property.

FOR SALE—BY MERWIN & HUBBARD Bros., 220 N. Main st.

One of the best points for business in the city; corner Temple and Texas sts.; two-story building with three store-rooms below; nine large rooms on second floor; income of this property $1200 per annum now; is the best business property in the city for the money; price only $15,000; is a bargain; see it.

Thirty-three choice building lots on Temple st., near engine-house; twelve of these lots face Temple st.; a purchaser of this block can double his money in one year; call upon us for prices and terms.

$1600 buys one of the cheapest pieces of property on Lechet st., East Los Angeles; only one block from Downey ave; house of four rooms and nice yard.

175 feet on Flower st., between Fifth and Sixth; house cost over $2000; a very choice property; and only $50 per front foot.

Two beautiful lots on Angeleno Heights; both for only $1600.

Two others adjoing above for only $1600 each; they are beautiful.

One lot corner Canal and Water st. only $1400 cash; high and commands a fine view; no better property on Angeleno Heights.

One house and lot, finely improved, on Texas st.; house of six room; barn, coal-house, etc., only $3500; to any one wanting a nice home this is choice.

Lots in the Judson tract, $850, $950, $1050, $1250 and $1350 each; only one block from Figueroa st; horse-cars pass every 20 minutes.

Choice lots between and near west end of Temple and Second-street cable lines at prices that defy competition. If you will take the time we will take pleasure in showing any of the above property.

FOR RENT—Store-room corner Texas and Temple st.; a good point for either grocery, drug or hardware store; rent only $25 per month.

BUSINESS PROPERTY.

40x100, on Spring st., between Fourth and Fifth sts., only $800 per front foot.

45 feet on Spring st., runs to Main st., between Seventh and Eighth sts., only $300 per front foot on Spring st.

20 feet front on Spring st., east front, between Second and Third sts., lot 20x165, only $700 per front foot.

43 feet on Fort st., east front; between First and Second st.; only $400 per front foot.

MERWIN & HUBBARD BROS., 220 North Main and west end Temple-street cable line.

FOR SALE—CALL ON OWNERS FOR bargains.

Hill st., lot 60x165, between Eighth and Ninth.

Olive st., No 1021, house of 6 rooms, lot 60x165 feet.

Eleventh st., west of Pearl, lot 60x120, covered with orange trees.

Council st., east of Texas st., lot 50x120 feet, fronting south.

Diamond st., lot 42x146 feet, opposite Park.

Apply to G. M. ADAMS, 25½ Fort st., or T. J. STUART, 1021 Olive st.

FOR SALE—THREE LARGE LOTS, between Main st. and Grand ave.; the cars pass by this property; you will say this is a bargain if you see it; price, $650 each; terms, $150 cash, balance in 3, 6, 9 and 12 months. See MILLER & HERRIOTT at once. 253 N. Main st.

FOR SALE—22 SELECTED LOTS ON Boyle Heights, at acre prices, $6000.
14 selected lots on Boyle Heights, $5850.
6 selected lots on Boyle Heights, $1650.
ROCHESTER & LAYTON, 9 Commercial st.

FOR SALE—ONLY 37 HEPBURN LOTS left. On this tract there are 40 houses, varying in price from $600 to $4000, and one $20,000 hotel, to be drawn with 500 lots, May 14, 1887; all for $425 each. SUMMERS & LOVE, sole agents, 134 N. Main st.

FOR SALE, OR EXCHANGE WITH some cash, for one or pair small, good traveling horses, a large double spring wagon; capacity 1½ tons. Call on or address W. P. WRIGHT, No. 4 Hamilton st., corner Hoff, East Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—NOB HILL LOTS; HANDsomely located; ocean view; pure water; perfect drainage; near cable line, street cars and Ellis College; prices from $350 to $500; easy terms. Apply to owner, room 24, Baker block.

FOR SALE—MYRTLE AVE., NEAR Eleventh st., house of seven rooms and bathroom; hard finish; lot 50x150 to an alley; price $4300; rare bargain. Apply to owner on premises, W. J. SCHOLL.

FOR SALE—ON PEARL STREE, BEtween Eleventh and Twelfth; deep lot; very good frontage; price moderate; best side of street. Apply the Los Angeles Real Estate Company, 25 Temple st.

FOR SALE—TWO FINE RESIDENCE properties, with beautiful grounds, one on Twelfth st., the other half a block from Temple st.; price, $2000 and $3100 respectively. W. D. ROOT, 25 Temple st.

FOR SALE—AT THE LOS ANGELES Real Estate Company's office, 25 Temple st., some of the best and cheapest properties in the market, both in city and country. Call.

FOR SALE—AT $150 PER LOT, ON monthly installments, six beautiful lots, with excellent water; a speculation to buyers. HUMPHREYS & RIGGIN, 20 S. Spring st.

FOR SALE—LOT NO. 2, BLOCK 10, Urmston tract; 52x118 on Maxwell ave., between Vermont and Thornton; price $650. Address M. H. CARPENTER, Duarte, Cal.

FOR SALE AND EXCHANGE—ALL kinds of California property; see our list; something new every day. DAMAN & MILLARD, 134 N. Main st.

FOR SALE—NEW 4-ROOM HOUSE, half mile from Postoffice; large lot; cheap; immediate possession. Write to B. T., Times office.

FOR SALE-HOUSE OF 8 ROOMS; ONE of the prettiest homes in Santa Monica. Apply to P. ROBERTSON, Santa Monica.

FOR SALE—HOUSE AND LOT, 60x165 feet, adjoining the Pavilion, on Olive st. Call at the place. 33 68. Olive st.

FOR SALE-LOT, 44x138, ONLY SEVEN blocks from First st; $1600 takes it; half cash. No. 10 N. Main st.

For Sale—Country Property.

FOR SALE—AT DUARTE, 24 ACRES, with house of 6 rooms, barn, corral, etc; 1500 choice fruit trees in bearing, mostly navels; 4 acres grapes; 1 acre alfalfa, shade-trees, etc., and twenty shares water stock; price, $12,000; also, 22 acres, beautifully situated, 12 acres in improvements, at $5000. W. D. ROOT, 25 Temple st.

FOR SALE—AT AZUSA, 40 ACRES, all good land, with 10 acres improved, for $3000; also, 28 acres, all improved, at $2500; also, 10 acres, all in 3-year-old bearing fruit trees and vines, for $800; a positive bargain. W. D. ROOT, 25 Temple st.

FOR SALE—FOR 10 DAYS ONLY, A large boarding-house and lot, nearest corner to Duarte depot; 40 boarders; main building is two stories, 20x30 feet; splendid investment; price, $1300. Address F. E. GROVER, Duarte.

FOR SALE—80-ACRE HOMESTEAD, immediately adjoining the store, postoffice, orange groves and vineyards at Etiwanda; Etiwanda flume and reservoir on the land; price, $1500. W. D. ROOT, 25 Temple st.

FOR SALE—¼ INTEREST IN THE Duarte town-site property; right opposite postoffice and on line of proposed new railway. Apply to P. ROBERTSON, Santa Monica.

FOR SALE—A BARGAIN, 60 ACRES, adjoining Palm City, 3½ miles from Port Ballona, suitable for subdivision. PARCELS, AGUIRRE & CO., 12 Court st.

For Sale—Live Stock.

FOR SALE—A FINE, FRESH JERSEY cow. H. ELLIOTT, cor. Jefferson st. and Vermont ave.

FOR SALE—A FRESH YOUNG DURham cow. Corner Ninth and San Pedro sts.

FOR SALE—DRAFT AND DRIVING horses, at REYNOLDS'S corral, Olive st.

For Sale—Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—LODGING-HOUSE; THE L. A. R. E. Co. are honored with instructions to dispose of the most elegant and perfect property of this description in Los Angeles. Location, best in city. The house is newly built, and was designed specially for letting in rooms and suites of rooms. It contains forty rooms; twenty-five most sumptuously furnished. All suites and rooms let to unexceptional tenants, producing splendid income. Lease, good will, furniture, etc., will be sold at moderate price and on easy terms. For particulars and orders to view, apply at the Los Angeles Real Estate Company. Offices, 25 Temple st

FOR SALE—PAIR THOROUGHBRED bull-terrier dogs, male and female; splendid ratters; or will exchange for good two-wheeled breaking-cart. 720 S. Main st.

FOR SALE—CHEAP; BRUNSWICK'S combination table outfit complete; good as new; billiard table almost new; outfit complete. 23 Vine.

FOR SALE—A GOOD TWO-HORSE double-seat spring wagon, with pole, shafts and double harness, $80. Ocean st., corner Broadway.

FOR SALE — ELEGANT EASTER cards, by OLMSTED & WALES, 19 W. First st.

Safe Deposit Bank.

FOR RENT—AT FROM $3 TO $20 PER year, safe deposit boxes in absolutely fire and burg ar proof chrome-steel vault; inspection invite THE CHILDRESS SAFE DEPOSIT BANK, 27 South Spring st.

Wants.

Wanted—Help.

WANTED—A YOUTH, 14 TO 16, RESiding with parents, to learn the lithographic business. Address in first instance, by letter only, R. RENSHAW, 15 Downey block.

WANTED—THIS MORNING, WAISTfinisher and skirt-maker. Apply to MRS. HENRY, rooms 7 and 8, Lankershim block.

WANTED — A FIRST-CLASS GROcery clerk; none other need apply. A. WISNER, 27 Colorado st., Pasadena.

WANTED—GOOD GIRL FOR HOUSEwork in small family. Apply at Pasadena Hardware Co., Pasadena.

WANTED-WAIST-MAKERS AND AN apprentice, at MRS. MAYNARD'S, 256 N. Main st.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED DRESSmakers. MISS SEYMOUR, 443 W. Second

WANTED—TEAMS FOR GRADING. Apply to E. C. Burlingame, No. 8 Beaudry ave.

WANTED — FIRST AND SECOND cooks for first-class hotel, at 35 S. Spring st.

WANTED—GIRL TO DO SIDEWORK in a restaurant. 421 S. Spring st.

WANTED—A GIRL TO DO GENERAL housework. 220 S. Fort st.

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS DRESSmakers at 702 S. Hill st.

Wanted—Situations.

WANTED—SITUATION AS HOTEL housekeeper; a lady having twelve years' experience in first-class hotels in the East, is desirous of securing a like position in this vicinity; references exchanged. Address D., care Seymour & Johnson, 21 Main st.

WANTED-A LADY FROM THE EAST would like a position as forelady, or to do cutting and draping in a first-class dressmaking establishment; understands the business thoroughly in all its branches. Address COMPETENT, Times office.

WANTED—SITUATION, BY YOUNG man, 20 years of age, in a planing mill, as an apprentice for a year or number of years; has served as an apprentice one year in a planing mill back East. Address Box 1636.

WANTED—A POSITION AS HOUSEkeeper in hotel or take charge of lodging-house; best reference. Address MRS. L. C., Times office.

WANTED—SITUATION IN A DRUG store, by an experienced druggist; good references given. Address 526 South Fort st.

WANTED—SITUATION BY A GIRL as nurse, or to do chamber work or general housework. Apply 278 N. Main st.

WANTED—SITUATION BY CHInese first-class hotel or restaurant cook. Call at No. 30 Wilmington st.

Wanted—Real Estate.

WANTED — ALL SPECULATORS and investors to buy their investments and speculations through the Los Angeles Real Estate Co. Call at the offices, 25 Temple st.

Wanted—Live Stock.

WANTED—A SPAN OF SMALL horses, suitable for delivery wagon; must be sound and gentle. A. WISNER, 27 Colorado st., Pasadena.

WANTED—HORSE AND BUGGY TO hire for a couple of weeks or longer; state price. GOOD CARE, Times office.

WANTED—A SPAN OF HORSES. INquire at MILLS'S office, Court st

Wanted—Miscellaneous.

WANTED — PARTNERSHIP, IN A good business by a gentleman of experience and energy, and who is willing to invest in a safe business. Address P. I. C., care of Times office.

WANTED—A GENTLEMAN WANTS board and residence with a private family in a good locality, where he would receive the comforts of a home. F. E., care of printer, Times office.

WANTED—HOUSE, BETWEEN Fifth and Twelfth; five rooms, unfurnished; will pay $25. Apply to THE LOS ANGELES REAL ESTATE CO., 25 Temple st.

WANTED—25,000 ORANGE TREES from seed-bed, from 10 to 18 inches high; state price and terms. JAMES BALDRIDGE, Citrus, Los Angeles County, Cal.

WANTED—ALL THOSE WHO HAVE real estate to sell or houses to rent, to send particulars of the same to the Los Angeles Real Estate Co., 25 Temple st.

WANTED — BUTCHER'S OR GROcer's business, in good location, for cash. Send particulars LOS ANGELES REAL ESTATE CO., 25 Temple st.

WANTED—EVERYBODY TO KNOW that the Hollenbeck Restaurant is at 124 W. Second st., opposite City Hall.

WANTED — TO SELL FURNITURE and lease of a 12-room house. Inquire of RUDDY, BURNS & SMITH.

WANTED—TO EXCHANGE CITY lot for horse and buggy. Address Box 1632.

WANTED—SECOND-HAND SEWING machine; good order. 443 W. Second st.

Business Opportunities.

FOR SALE — SPLENDID BUSINESS opportunity, located in a fast-growing section of Los Angeles county, on the line of S. P. R. R., general merchandise store; store and dwelling building, 25x42; block of three lots, 150x100, on best corner in town, adjoining depot; store well fitted up, fairly stocked and doing a good business. C. G. GILMORE & CO., 30 N. Spring st., room 9, Los Angeles, Cal.

AN OPPORTUNITY SELDOM MET with—A young man, with good business qualifications, with about $2000, wishing to engage in the dry goods, notions, boot and shoe business, can buy half interest; long lease, low rent; business established and increasing daily; only principals need apply, at 128 E. First st.

FOR SALE—FINE BUSINESS OPPORtunity; half interest in prosperous grocery store, including postoffice and telephone, within nine mile of the city. Apply to HELLMAN, HAAS & CO.

FOR SALE—GOOD FURNITURE AND house-furnishing business. Address Box 719.

For Exchange.

FOR EXCHANGE — HOUSES AND lots, large and small, various prices, in Eastern and Middle States; for sale, or will exchange for property in Los Angeles or vicinity. W. H. BONSALL, Bryson block, cor. Spring and First sts., Los Angeles, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE—PROPERTY IN Los Angeles county for cheap lands in Kern or Tulare counties, Antelope Valley, or Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa or Minnesota; also good buggy as part payment on cheap lot. D. CARR, 12 Court st., 9 to 12 a.m.

FOR EXCHANGE—ELEGANT RESIdence, in best part of city, for residence property within St. Louis, Mo. DAMAN & MILLARD, 134 N. Main st., Los Angeles.

Money To Loan.

TO LOAN—THE UNDERSIGNED HAS had placed in his hands three large sums, which will be loaned at 10@12 rates of interest. H. GRIFFIN, room 3, No. 28 N. Spring st., Los Angeles, Cal.

MONEY TO LOAN—THE LOS ANGEles Real Estate Company have several sums to loan on mortgage securities on the shortest time. 25 Temple st.

$100,000 TO LOAN, AT LOWEST rate of interest. A. J. VIELE, room 23, Schumacher block

MONEY TO LOAN ON MORTGAGE. MORTIMER & HARRIS, attorneys-at law, 78 and 78a, Temple block.

Strayed or Stolen.

STRAYED OR STOLEN—$750 REWARD, a light bay mare; fair size; 7 years old; both fore feet and off hind ankle white; perhaps a little white in forehead; will pay $250 for return of mare, and $500 for conviction of thief, if stolen; this mare disappeared about the 1st of March. L. J. ROSE, San Gabriel.

$20 REWARD—STRAYED OR STOLen, one bay mare; weight about 950 lbs.; 6 years old; right hind foot white to the ankle; Spanish brand on the left hip. H. L. WYATT, Cable grocery store, corner Second and Spring sts.

Personal.

PERSONAL—IF THOMAS A. BECK, of Brownwood, Texas, will apply at the Times office, he will hear of something to his advantage.

Lost and Found.

TAKEN UP—MARCH 8TH, AT SANTA Monica, two mares; one black, with white stripe in her face and one white hindleg, collar-mark on right shoulder, and one gray "flea-bitten" color. These horses were advertised by William Brown, March 6th. Owner can recover them by paying charges. RICHMOND & ROGERS, Santa Monica.

LOST—ENGLISH BIRD-DOG, CHOCOlate color; has two scars on right leg; answers to the name "Monday." Return to 522 Charity st., and receive reward.

LOST—A BABY'S DOLL, AT THE Santa Anita ranch, or on the road to Los Angeles. Leave at 30 S. Spring st., and get a liberal reward.

Excursions.

R. R. TICKETS—R. J. PRYKE & CO.'S cut rate ticket office; special rates to parties of five or more. R. J. PRYKE & CO., 212 N. Main st., members American Ticket Brokers' Association.

PHILLIPS' POPULAR PLEASURE parties going East leave here March 10 and 31, and April 14 and 28. Call on or address A. PHILLIPS & CO., 134 N. Main st., Los Angeles.

M. J. DANISON & CO., EXCURSION to East via Salt Lake, March 10th and 24th, April 7th and 21st. 55 N. Spring st.

WARNER BROS. & CROSBY EXCURsions east and west. 302 N. Main st.

Rooms and Board.

TO LET—A FEW GENTLEMEN CAN obtain board and rooms in a first-class private family. Address C. A., Box 1402.

TO LET—ROOMS, SINGLE OR EN suite, with or without board, at 238 S. Hill st.

GOOD BOARD, $4 A WEEK, AT 334 Buena Vista st.; also rooms.

SUNNY FURNISHED ROOMS, WITH board. 123 Courthouse st.

ROOMS AND BOARD. 539 S. Hill.

Printing and Binding.

THE TIMES-MIRROR PRINTING ESTABLISHMENT—There is nothing in the Printing and Binding line which the TIMES-MIRROR Printing, Binding and Ruling House, the oldest and largest in Southern California, is not prepared to execute in a manner equal to that of any office in the State. All kinds of Mercantile, Railroad, Legal and general Printing done. Books, Magazines and Pamphlets bound in Turkish leather, Morocco, cloth, sheepskin, or in any style desired. Our work is guaranteed to be equal to that done in San Francisco. PROMPTNESS! ACCURACY! EXCELLENCE! REASONABLE PRICES!

Unclassified.

MADAME SOMERS RESPECTFULLY announces to the ladies of Los Angeles that she has just arrived from Paris with costumes, wraps, French artificial flowers, plumes, tips, real and fancy laces, and other novelties from Worth, which she will offer for sale for a few days at No. 255 S. Main st., cor. Fourth.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—The copartnership heretofore existing under the firm of Gregory & Long is hereby dissolved, E. Gregory paying all debts and collecting all accounts due the firm. E. GREGORY. T. M. LONG.

TYPEWRITERS FOR SALE AND FOR rent. Shorthand reporting done and taught by a gentleman having skill and experience in his profession. ELIAS LONGLEY, room 16, Allen block, Spring and Temple sts.

R. R. TICKETS BOUGHT, SOLD AND exchanged. Cut rates to all points. Member Guarantee Ticket Brokers' Association. L. H. WHITSON, 30 S. Spring st.

SALVATION MEETINGS, NOON AND night, under Nadeau, cor. First and Spring.

TWENTY-FIVE DOLLARS.

Olivier Pays It for Battering Mrs. Olivier.

In Justice Austin's court yesterday A. Olivier was tried for battery on Mrs. Olivier. The row occurred on Monday night about 1 o'clock on Alameda street. Officer Deckman took both parties into custody and at the station Olivier put up bail for his appearance and both were allowed to go. In about two hours they were making night hideous again and Deckman took him up again, but he was released. Yesterday Justice Austin assessed him $25 for the offense, which he paid. He was then allowed to depart.

PERSONAL NEWS.

H. L. Thompson, of San Diego, is in the city.

P. R. Richard, of New York, is at the St. Elmo.

S. H. Wood, San Francisco, is at the Pico House.

Ex-Gov. Sam Merrill, of Iowa, is at the Nadeau.

H. P. Alexander, of Fresno, is at the St. Charles.

George H. Fullerton, of Riverside, is in the city.

William H. Bailey, Oakland, is at the Pico House.

J. I. Case, the millionaire of Racine, Wis., is at the Nadeau.

J. W. Eldridge registers at the St. Elmo, from Wichita, Kan.

William Ham Hall, of Sacramento, State Engineer, is in the city.

James Shearer and wife, of Bay City, Mich., are at the St. Elmo.

Mr. and Mrs. Torrence Huffman, of Dayton, O., are registered at the Nadeau.

J. M. Studebaker, the famous wagon man, of South Bend, Ind., is at the Nadeau with his party.

A. E. Wagstaff, an old California newspaper man, was in the city yesterday and went out to Colton.

Mr. Kyle, of Hamilton, O., has been making a tour of Southern California, and left yesterday for the North.

W. Barnhart, of the firm of Barnhart Bros. & Spindler, type-founders of Chicago, is making Los Angeles a visit.

C. E. Perkins, president of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad, went to Santa Barbara yesterday with his party.

William McKee, an old-timer here, who has been absent about seven years, is in from San Francisco. He says this isn't Los Angeles, but some new place that he doesn't know.

Asa A. Clark, for the past year bookkeeper and cashier in the THE TIMES office, departed last night for Emporia, Kans., where he is about to engage in business on his own account. His associates in the business department presented him with a token of regard and all united in wishing him prosperity and happiness in his new home.

BRIEFS.

The Santa Rosa sails south today.

There will be an ice cream social at the Grace M. E. Church, this evening.

A marriage license was issued yesterday to John M. Clyman and May Belle Dunn.

A soft pine board, 2 inches thick, 42 inches wide and 14 feet long, is displayed at the Fresno agency as a sample of Fresno county lumber.

The famous trotter, Oliver K., was given three slow heats at the Agricultural Park track yesterday morning. There were a good many visitors.

There will be a public test of the new Amoskeag steam fire-engine, J. Kuhrts No. 3, at 2 o'clock p.m. today, at the corner of Los Angeles and Requena street.

The charitably disposed can do a good work by sending a few dainties to the nine patients at the smallpox hospital. Any package marked and left at the police station will be delivered.

THE INTERSTATE.

HOW IT WILL HUGELY ADVANCE FREIGHT RATES.

A Comparison of Present Rates with Those to Take Effect April 5th, by the 100 Pounds from Chicago—A Big Difference.

The Interstate Commerce Law, which goes into effect April 5th, is of universal interest. No one apparently understands it, but the railroads have agreed upon an interpretation which they will put in force. The general result, which affects the people of California, is a tremendous increase of freight rates. The object of this article is not to discuss a bill which is a labyrinth of uncertainty, but to present a few matter of fact comparisons, showing how much more will have to be paid on freight than we have been paying. Following is the official schedule of new rates on the different classes of freight, governed by the Joint Western Classification, which is the classification agreed upon by 48 railroads west of the Missouri River, including all of any importance—to take effect April 5th:

To Los Angeles from Chicago—1st class, $4.70 per 100 pounds; 2d class, $4; 3d class, $3.35; 4th class, $275; 5th class, $2.45; 6th class, $2.30; Class A, $1.95; Class B, $1.55; Class C, $1.25; Class D, $1.15.

To Los Angeles from St. Louis—1st class, $4.50; 2d class, $3.85; 3d class, $3.20; 4th class, $2.65; 5th class, $2.35; 6th class, $2.20; Class A, $1.85; Class B, $1.50; Class C, $1.20; Class D, $1.10.

To Los Angeles from Kansas City—1st class, $4; 2d class, $3.50; 3d class, $3; 4th class, $2.50; 5th class, $2.25; 6th class, $2.10; Class A, $1.75; Class B, $1.40; Class C, $1.10; Class D, $1.

COMPARISON OF RATES.

The following statement shows the present rates and the rates which will take effect April 5th, on numerous staples. The freight from Chicago is given. That from St. Louis or Kansas City can easily be determined by reference to the above schedule of rates.

The new rates on oranges to Chicago, Minneapolis and St. Paul will be $1.15 per 100 pounds; to St. Louis, $1.10; to Kansas City, $1.05. The rate at present paid is $1.05 to Chicago; $1 to Minneapolis, St. Paul, St. Louis and Kansas City.

Iron, for the last few months, has been shipped from Chicago to this city at 50 cents per 100 pounds. Under the new tariff the freight will be $2.45 per 100 pounds—or nearly two and a half times as much.

Most agricultural implements have heretofore been shipped from Chicago to this city for 50 cents to $1.20 per 100 pounds. The new rates will be $1.95.

Printing paper (for newspapers) has been costing 50 cents per hundred from Chicago. Under the new dispensation it will be $2.50.

Apples, fresh from Chicago, have been coming from Chicago at 70 cents. The rate will be $2.35 after April 5th.

Hams, bacon and lard from Chicago have been scheduled at $1 a hundred. After the new law goes into effect the rate will be $2.45.

Barrels from Chicago, on which the freight has been 60 cents per 100 pounds, will have to pay a tariff of $4.70.

Beans and peas from Chicago, formerly 80 cents, will be taxed $2.45.

Beer, in glass or wood, formerly shipped at 80 and 60 cents, respectively, will have to pay $2.20.

Bicycles, now $2 per 100 pounds from Chicago, will be taxed $9.40.

Blankets, now $1.60 from Chicago, will be charged $4.70.

Blinds, sash, etc., now $1.20 from Chicago, will be taxed $1.55.

Boots and shoes, now $2 from Chicago, will be taxed $4.70.

Books, now $1.60 from Chicago, will be taxed $4.70.

Bottles, now 50 and 60 cents, will be taxed $2.75.

Brass goods, now $1, will be taxed $4.

Brooms, now 80 cents, will be taxed $3.35.

Butter, now $1, will be taxed $3.35.

Organs, now $2 and $3, will be taxed $4.70.

Canned meats, now 50 and 60 cents, will be taxed $2.45.

Carriages, now $1.20 to $6, will be taxed $3.35 down to $1.95.

Cement, now 50 cents, will be taxed $1.25.

Cheese, now $1.20, will be taxed $3.35.

Chinaware, now 80 cents, will be taxed $4.70.

Cigars, now $2, will be taxed $4.70.

Clothing, now $1.20 to $3, will be taxed $4.70.

Coffee, now 60 to 70 cents, will be taxed $3.35.

Cordage, now 60 cents to $1, will be taxed $2.75.

Drugs and medicines, now $1.20, will be taxed $4.70.

Dry goods, now 70 cents to $2, will be taxed $4.70 to $9.40.

Fence wire, now 50 cents, will be taxed $2.45.

Flour, now 80 cents, will be taxed $2.75.

Furniture, now 70 cents to $2, will be taxed $1.25 to $4.70.

Glass, now 60 cents to $2, will be taxed $2.45 to $4.70.

Grindstones, now 50 cents, will be taxed $1.55.

Groceries, now $2, will be taxed $4.70.

Gunpowder, now $1, will be taxed $4.70 and $9.40.

These are only a few samples of the advance to be made in rates, and give a fair idea of the whole schedule. A further list will be given in a later issue.

THE SMALLPOX.

Some Mexican "Nest-hiding" to be Prosecuted.

Health Officer Hagan found a fine nest of smallpox yesterday, in one of the little shanties on Alameda street, opposite Naud's warehouse. A Mexican family there has had eight cases among its numerous children for several days. Most of them are now practically recovered, the cases having been extremely light. The father, an ignorant *paisano*, is now under quarantine with the rest of the family, though he has not had the disease. As soon as he can safely be taken out he will be lodged in jail. He has studiously concealed the cases, which is a felony under the law, and the authorities will prosecute him "to a finish." Dr. Hagan wishes it to be distinctly stated and understood that any and every person who conceals a case of smallpox, or who fails to report it when he knows of it, will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

Health Officer Hagan gave all the children in the neighborhood a thorough vaccinating. Another case of felonious concealment was discovered in another Mexican family yesterday, back of Buena Vista street. A young fellow living with his mother was padlocked into a little room at the rear of the house. He has had a severe case, but is getting well.

It was currently reported about the city yesterday that County Recorder Frank Gibson and one of his employés, Miss Cook, had been taken down with the smallpox, and the story created no little sensation. Investigation speedily brought the story down to a less startling basis. Both Mr. Gibson and Miss Cook had suspicious-looking emptions, and both were put under medical serveillance. Miss Cook turns out to have a slight emption in no way related to smallpox. She has fully recovered. It was thought by physicians yesterday that Mr. Gibson had a light case of smallpox; but as the disease developed, they certainly faded, and his family physician stated last night that he was positive that Mr. Gibson has not the smallpox. As soon as the eruption was discovered he was removed to E. T. Wright's new house beyond the end of the Temple-street cable road, putting himself in voluntary quarantine until it should be definitely settled what ails him.

Health Officer Hagan is much encouraged to see that the disease appears to make no headway among whites. He is confining the active efforts of his numerous assistants in house-to-house vaccination almost entirely to quarters occupied by Mexican families, who are about the only ones in danger.

The quarantine will be lifted today from every house in the city which has been guarded, except the two newly quarantined this week.

Two patients will also be discharged from the hospital today, leaving nine, of whom Pullian is the only one particularly sick.

There have been no more deaths.

A GAUZY STORY

Of the Three Tough Boys Arrested for Highway Robbery.

Yesterday afternoon the preliminary examination of the three young highwaymen, who attempted to rob T. W. Melty near the Aliso-street bridge, Sunday night, was called in Justice Austin's court. The defendant, Ernest Montgomery, appeared in court with a white handkerchief tied around his head, and presented a most pitiable appearance. He has a bad-looking face, and stared boldly at the Justice and defiantly at the District Attorney and officers. Willie Phelon came into the courtroom wearing a red necktie, and seemed to be the leader of the band. He does not appear to be over sixteen years of age. He evidently did not realize the serious nature of the charge which had been brought against him, for he took a plug of tobacco out of his hip-pocket and began to work his jaws and spit like an old backwoodsman. Charles Brooks is probably twenty-five years old. He was more roughly dressed than either of his companions, and seemed to take but little interest in what was going on about him. T. W. Melty, the complaining witness, could not be found, and, after waiting very nearly an hour, the examination was postponed until April 7th, at 10 o'clock a.m.

The defendants tell rather a peculiar story in connection with the affair. They say that all four of them were down town Sunday evening, drinking and having a good time. After they got what they wanted, they started for Boyle Heights, and were playing and tripping each other up all the way

LYNCH VS. VANDEVER.

THE TAKING OF TESTIMONY FOR LYNCH RESUMED.

City Assessor Stephenson and ex-Editor Burton Testify—A Little Spice in the Dry Proceedings—His Reputation: "A Pretty Fair Liar."

At 10 o'clock yesterday morning the office of Notary Public Owen was occupied by the parties in the contested case, to wit, the notary, attorneys, reporters and witnesses, Judge Campbell being otherwise engaged. H. H. Appel appeared in his place. John Robarts was again on deck to look after the interests of the contestants.

The first witness called, City Assessor Stephenson, was very cautious in his swearing—not being positive then, nor very sure on this point.

In contrast to him was G. W. Burton, who gave his testimony in full, some of it against the protestations of respondent's attorney. But he proposed to tell all he knew in the case, and did so.

W. R. STEPHENSON,

sworn: I reside in Los Angeles. Am City Assessor. Resided in Los Angeles October and November of last year. I took such part in the election as a good Democrat should. I had no knowledge of when registration for voting, November 2d, would close. Never talked with Dunsmoor about it. I was at the White House polls on election day. I was the last man in the line that day. To the best of my judgment I stood in line from forty to sixty minutes. My vote was not received, though I was right at the window. As I stepped up to the window, with my ballot in my hand, the window was shut down.

I should judge that the sun was not down at that time. I cannot swear that I saw it shining on the Baker block. The line at that time was shorter than I saw it at any time. Well, perhaps fifty or sixy men in line then. I could not swear as to how long the man in front of me stood in line, nor that his vote was challenged. It would be pretty hard to tell how many men there were in line. My attention was given to other matters. At 9 or 10 o'clock I should think there were 100 men in line. I don't like to swear to the number of men there were in line.

I was there, off and on, all day. I can't say that I saw any dropping out of the line. Well, I did see some. I don't know whether they were Democrats or Republicans—they were hard-looking customers. I don't know that there was any difference in the time of depositing ballots between the forenoon and afternoon. The average time that it took a man to deposit his vote was one minute, or five minutes. I don't propose to swear to any numbers, nor anything of that kind, because I cannot. It would take a man from forty minutes to an hour and a half to reach the polls.

Cross-examined: I did not hold up my vote and offer it, to the best of my judgment. I thought I could get them to vote, but I got left. Yes, according to my former statement, it took a man about one minute, on an average, to deposit his vote. Well, the Basque and French element is pretty well represented there. They are most of them laborers. It is natural to suppose that they would be there more at morning, noon and night, but the line was long all day.

I worked for the party on that day. I was not City Assessor and had no idea of being so at that time. I cannot swear as to the time the polls closed. I did not have a watch then—"my uncle" had it.

P. N. O'DONNELL,

sworn: I reside in Sainsevain street. My polling place was at the White House on November 2d last. Got there about 1:30 p. m. There were about 150 men ahead of me when I went into the line at that time. It took me from half-past 1 to half-past 3 to vote. Some ahead of me dropped out to get their numbers and that made two or three others mad and they dropped out.

Cross-examined: I run a foundry and machine shop. I had six men in my employ then. Don't know whether they voted or not. The distance from the end of the line to the polls was about 115 feet. Well, I don't think 150 men could stand on 115 feet. Yes, there were 150 men, more or less, in line, and it took me about two hours to vote, so that would be less than a minute for each man.

L. W. ROBINSON,

sworn: Reside at 110 Turner street. Went to the White House polls November 2d last to vote. Got into line and stood about three-quarters of an hour, and went away without voting.

Cross-examined: I had to go away in the afternoon. If my business had allowed it I should have gone back again.

G. W. BURTON,

sworn: I have resided at 27 Bunker Hill avenue for nearly six years. I was editing the Herald last fall, a personal friend of Mr. Lynch, and looking after his interests. We published a definite notice several times that registration for voting November 2d would close October 2d, and no notice of extension was published, I think. I did not know of it till October 20th, when I acquired it through the Brierly circular. Burke and Waters brought in an article and wanted it published as editorial in the Herald. It was in relation to this business. I did not want to do it, as I thought it reflected on Charlie Dunsmoor. We had some heated discussions about it. The article was published afterwards, but not as editorial. Afterward I went out and saw the placards posted up and I found that Brierly, who was chairman of the Republican County Central Committee, had been appointed a deputy clerk, and that Dunsmoor had sent a private circular to his deputies and not to the deputy assessors, and not to some Democratic deputy clerks. I then published the whole thing, much against my own feelings, for I thought it looked like a concocted scheme to steal a march on Democratic voters.

I told persons through the Herald, and also a good many in person, that they could not register for voting November 2d, after October 2d. I visited several polling places on election day. I was at the White House polls an hour at a time. I do not think there were ever less than 100 men in line. I timed how long it took a man to vote. I noticed that it was going on slowly. I held my watch and it took from forty-one to forty-seven minutes to vote, from the time he entered the line. I timed it several times during the day. I saw several parties drop out, saying they could not wait to vote. I urged through the Herald that the city be redistricted, as it had grown amazingly since the last election. I can produce the Heralds with these articles. We wanted fifteen precincts and the supervisors made only ten, an increase of three. After studying the boundaries of the new precincts, I concluded that the facilities for voting in the Second Ward were decreased instead of being increased. It took me two or three minutes to walk from the White House polls after they were closed to the courthouse, and they were just closing them at the courthouse when I got there.

Cross-examined: I am not employed on the Herald now. I was so employed up to a month ago. I had no more interest in the election of Mr. Lynch than in the success of the whole ticket. I asked some of the Democratic deputy clerks if they had received his circular of October 21st, and they said they had not received them. I do not say they were not sent to them, I presume there were some clerks at the White House, who impeded voting. I don't know that they were Democrats. I can't swear that there were any dummies there. This is the matter that Pete Dornalech and another man protested against, the way things were going and a policeman told them to be still. Then I spoke about it, and he told me the same, but I am not accustomed to shut up. Our protesting did not impede the voting. The voters there are largely laborers. I am a full witness. I want to tell all I know, and no more.

BRAULIO SEPULVEDA

sworn: I reside on Sainsevain street. Went to the White House polls to vote on November 2d about 4:20 o'clock. There were about fifty or sixty men in line. I did not get to the polls. There were twenty or thirty men ahead of me when the polls closed. I did not go earlier because I did not know there was any election. I saw a crowd there and asked what it was, and found it was a President's election. I am an actor at some times. If I had known it was an election, I would have gone earlier to vote.

Cross-examined: I was working at the soap factory that day. I had worked there two days. I did not work there after that day. I knew there was to be an election some time, but did not know what day. I belonged to a Spanish Democratic club, and heard speakers say election would be on November 2d. My brother took a good deal of interest in the election, but I did not. I did not go around drinking with the candidates. I did not know them. Yes, I did drink at the Spanish Republican club. I knew Mr. Gard and Martin Aguirre. I don't remember what I was doing the night before election.

Mr. Appel: Were you not around drinking with candidates, and did you not get drunk that night? [Attorney for contestant objects that the question is impertinent, and immaterial, and instructs witness that he can answer or not as he chooses.]

A. That's my business. I worked in the forenoon and one hour after dinner that day. I did not go in the line but once. I did not peddle tickets that day. It was at the city election. I did not receive anything for voting on November 2d.

Mr. Appel: Did you tell any one that you would come on the witness stand here and swear to many things that were not true? [Same objection as before.]

A.: That's my business.

Mr. Appel: You will not swear, then, that you did not have such a conversation?

Ans. Well, I heard some of the boys say something about election and so I came. [Question repeated.] No.

Mr. Appel: Did you not make such a statement to Juan Sanchez?

Ans. Yes, he would be the only person I would tell it to, the s—— of a b——.

Mr. Appel: Now, is it not the fact that you have the reputation of being a pretty fair liar?

Attorney for contestant to interpreter: Instruct the witness that he need not answer that—that he may hit him in the mouth—and if he don't do it I will, if you (addressing Mr. Appel) insist on such a question. It's impertinent and outrageous, and I will protect the witness.

Recess till 2 o'clock p.m., and witnesses not being on hand at that time, continued till March 26th at 10 a.m.

THE COURTS.

Notes from the Various Temples of Justice.

Before Judge Cheney yesterday, in the matter of the estate of Nadeau, the order setting the case for trial was set aside by consent of all parties concerned.

In the matter of the estate of Oxarart, the final account of the special administrator was allowed as amended.

Matt Connell, a native of Ireland, was admitted to citizenship.

BEFORE JUSTICE AUSTIN.

The case of The People vs. James Ash was continued until April 8th at 10 a. m. The case was continued on account of the condition of the prosecuting witness.

Charles Brooks, Ernest Montgomery and Willie Phelon, the young highwaymen, were called for preliminary examination, but the prosecuting witness could not be found and the case was continued until April 7th at 10 a. m.

A. Olliver, charged with battery, was arraigned and pleaded guilty.

S. B. Weeks, charged with a misdemeanor, pleaded guilty, and sentence was suspended.

Ah Yah and six other Mongolians were convicted of violating the laundry ordinance, and fined $3 each.

C. Patterson, who was arrested for carrying concealed weapons, was dismissed.

Ah Lung and two other Chinamen were convicted of violating the laundry ordinance. Ah Lung was fined $10 and the other two were fined $3 each.

JUSTICE TANEY.

Henry Johnson, charged with burglary, had his examination set for March 28th, at 2 p.m.

The case of The People vs. E. C. Watson, and Annie Watson, charged with malicious mischief, was tried. Annie was discharged, and Watson was found guilty, and fined $10.

No More Passes.

The following official communication speaks for itself:

ATCHISON, TOPEKA & SANTA FE R. R. CO.
AND ATLANTIC & PACIFIC R. R. CO.
OFFICE OF GENERAL MANAGER.
TOPEKA, KAN., March 15, 1887.

NOTICE.

Under the provisions of the act of Congress to regulate commerce, railroad companies are prohibited from issuing passes except in special cases mentioned in the law.

All general complimentary passes have been recalled and such passes, whether annual, time or trip, as do not show on their face that they are issued to officials or employés of railroad companies will expire April 4th, prox., without regard to limitation on their face and will not be honored after that date,

(Signed) C. W. SMITH,
General Manager.

Pullman Passengers.

The Pullman cars conveyed the following passengers northward yesterday over the Southern Pacific Railroad: 1:30 p. m. train—D. T. Hamcher, George Cronert, P. L. Fernald, J. M. Bell, J. L. Sloss, W. Irving, F. M. Kyle, Leo Dittman, C. S. Robedeau and J. Downey Harvey.

7:30 p. m. train—Mrs. Leakfeld, P. M. Bean, James Sherer, A. N. Eiserdrath. Mrs. Beauregard, Mrs. Howard, Mrs. N. F. Clifford, Mrs. Moore, D. H. Pinney, T. F. Stambaugh, Mr. Kingsburg, C. O. Gill, H. Vandever, H. Ohnick, C. Warner and O. L. Swank.

Hotel Arrivals.

At the St. Elmo: S. J. Freedman, G. E. Harteman, C. A. Watson, W. P. Smith, Mrs. L. Berry, J. S. Taylor, J. L. Wilder, F. J. Prior, San Francisco; R. Hatfield and wife, R. E. Lawrence and wife, Wichita, Kan.; C. K. Draun, C. R. Reynolds, San Pedro; J. Cartledge, New York; W. A. Kolmar, Chicago, Ill.; D. H. Harts and wife, Lincoln, Ill.; C. H. Jones, Cincinnati; C. Thomas, San Jacinto; E. A. Powell, San Diego; R. G. Surdam, Bardsdale; J. T. Wilson, San Fernando; G. W. Fifield, Lowell, Mass.; H. E. Higgins, Cleveland, O.

Steamer Sailing.

The steamer Eureka, northward bound, yesterday, carried the following Los Angeles passengers:

For San Francisco—C. D. Haren, J. H. Sudant and wife, M. A. Rowe, and ten in steerage.

For Port Harford—G. Hickey.

For Santa Barbara—F. Schulenberg, J. G. Massey, Mrs. J. S. Lapham, Miss M. E. Lapham, Miss H. L. Yerkes, K. J. Faust, A. C. Kennedy, J. Rowan.

For Ventura—W. B. Burton, H. V. Crissey.

Church Reception.

There will be a reception given by the ladies of the Congregational Church, at their parlors, corner of Third and Hill streets, on Friday evening, to Rev. Dr. Barrows and Rev. Dr. Warren, of San Francisco. Refreshments will be served. All are specially requested to attend.

BALDWIN VS. BELL.

The Doughty Horace Wants to Take a Deposition.

It will be remembered that on the 14th of January, 1886, E. J. Baldwin filed four libel suits against Horace Bell, editor of the Porcupine, demanding $5000 damages in each case. The alleged libels were publications in the Porcupine, their gist being in brief that Baldwin was trying to buy a 13-year-old virgin; that he used his great means to seduce poor and unprotected girls; that he drugged and ravished his kinswoman, Verona Baldwin, and then cast her off.

On the 22d of the same month Baldwin filed another libel suit, in twelve counts, praying for $5000 damages on each count. The allegations for which Bell was sued were of much the same sort, but more strongly put. The cases have seemed comparatively dead, but now give their first sign of revivification.

The following papers were filed with the County Clerk yesterday:

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles.

E. J. Baldwin, plaintiff, vs. Horace Bell, defendant. Notice of intention to take deposition of Verona Baldwin.

You will please take notice that on the 30th day of March, 1887, at the office of A. Kohler, No. 45 Temple block, in the city of Los Angeles, County of Los Angeles, State of California, a Notary Public, duly appointed and commissioned by the Governor of the State of California, as such, will take the deposition of Verona Baldwin, in the above-entitled action, being Case No. 4741; also in cases of E. J. Baldwin vs. Horace Bell, Nos. 4740, 4742, 4743 and 4762, at the hour of 10 o'clock a.m. of said day, and to be continued thereafter from day to day, until such deposition may be concluded.

A. J. KING, Attorneys for Defendant.

To Messrs. Wells, Van Dyke & Lee, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles.

E. J. Baldwin, plaintiff, vs. Horace Bell, defendant. Affidavit of Horace Bell. State of California, County of Los Angeles, s.s.

Horace Bell, being first duly sworn, deposes and says: That he is the defendant in the above-entitled action, numbered by the clerk of said Superior Court 4741, and other actions of E. J. Baldwin vs. Horace Bell, numbered respectively 4740, 4742, 4743 and 4762. That Verona Baldwin, now residing in the city of Los Angeles, county of Los Angeles, State of California, is a material and necessary witness for the defendant in all said actions. That summons has been served in said actions and the defendant has appeared therein and answered. That the witness, Verona Baldwin, has until recently resided in the city of Chicago, State of Illinois, but is now in the city of Los Angeles, county of Los Angeles, State of California, residing therein temporarily, and as affiant is informed and believes, is about to or may leave the said Los Angeles county where said actions are to be tried, before said actions or any of them can be brought on for trial, and will probably continue to be absent when her testimony is required in the trial of said causes. HORACE BELL.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 22d day of March, 1887. A. KOHLER, Notary Public.

On reading and filing the above and aforegoing affidavit, it is ordered that the testimony of Verona Baldwin—it appearing to the court that the same should be taken—it is ordered that her deposition be taken before A. Kohler, a notary public in and for the county of Los Angeles, State of California, at his office, No. 45 Temple block in the said city, and that at least five days' notice be given to the plaintiff's attorneys before the taking of such deposition. B. BRUNSON, Judge of the Superior Court.

ANOTHER AUCTION.

Successful Sale of the Pellissier Tract Yesterday.

The sale of the Pellissier tract, fronting on the Pico-street electric road and running back to Eleventh street, was held yesterday by the Los Angeles Land Bureau, Easton & Eldridge, auctioneers. Nearly all of six blocks were sold, and want of time obliged a postponement of the sale of the remaining six blocks. The total amount realized was $11,300, as per the following list:

BLOCK G.

Lots 1 and 2, P. Bernal	$ 285
Lot 3, J. Dana	135
Lot 4, R. Clark	135
Lots 5 and 6, J. R. Brady	260
Lots 7 and 8, J. A. Rose	250
Lots 9 and 10, J. R. Brady	225
Lot 11, A. Rasmus	100
Lot 12, R. Clark	70
Lot 13, J. A. Rose	70

BLOCK H.

Lot 1, Mrs. M. Porter	160
Lot 2, C. W. Burdick	150
Lots 3, 4 and 8, C. J. Thorn	420
Lot 5, J. W. Bartell	135
Lots 6 and 7, J. F. Black	300
Lots 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13, J. A. Rose	455
Lots 14, 15 and 16, John A. Brown	285
Lots 17, 18 and 19, H. R. Niesen	255
Lots 20, 21 and 22, G. G. Jones	255
Lots 23 and 24, Mrs. A. S. Harcourt	180
Lot 25, C. W. Burdick	100
Lot 26, G. G. Johnston	140

BLOCK I.

Lots 1 and 2, J. K. Lapp	290
Lot 3, H. R. Niesen	80
Lots 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9, J. M. English	540
Lots 10 and 11, C. G. Smith	180
Lots 12 and 13, J. Z. Anderson	190

BLOCK J.

Lot 1, C. Mordon, of Mondonville	350
Lot 2, L. W. Wynn	350
Lot 8, Mrs. E. H. Smith	135
Lot 9, A. H. Carey	135
Lot 10, Mrs. Tillie Lapp	125
Lots 11 and 12, P. Bernal	270

BLOCK K.

Lot 1, J. R. Palmer	280
Lot 2, Alfred Hamlin	250
Lot 3, C. H. Shaver	250
Lot 4, Wm. Napier	235
Lot 5, Jas. G. Wilson	240
Lots 6 and 8, C. G. Smith	150
Lot 9, Joe Villa	105
Lots 10 and 11, J. Z. Anderson	260
Lots 12 and 13, J. F. Black	270
Lots 14 and 15, Geo. Johns	255
Lots 16, 17 and 18, John A. Brown	360
Lot 19, J. F. Black	105
Lots 20 and 21, J. Z. Anderson	200
Lots 24 and 25, J. F. Black	190

BLOCK L.

Lot 2, Mrs. E. H. Smith	210
Lot 3, J. Z. Anderson	130
Lot 4, Mrs. E. H. Smith	115
Lots 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9, J. E. Slover	460
Lots 10, 11 and 12, J. R. Lapp	315
Total	$11,300

"Times" Telephone Directory.

The following new telephones were put in yesterday:

627, Day, Hinton & Mathes, real estate.
613, George J. Denis, attorney at law.
610, Ebinger's bakery, 201 S. Spring street.
628, William D. Green, physician.
612, W. H. Goucher, residence.
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594—40x80, Sand street 2,500
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568—90x160, corner Ninth and Olive 9,000
569—48x200, in Heffner & Baldwin tract 1,475
570—65x140, corner Ninth and Buckley, ¼ cash 1,550
572—62x115, corner Hayward and Montrose—in vines 900
562—81x144 to alley, on Virgin street 900
563—190x165, Adams st., Longstreet tract 4,000
190x165, Adams st., Longstreet tract 1,050
565—50x150 to alley, Childs tract 1,050
566—38x120, Eighth st., Gorman tract 900
556—60x165, Fort st 9,000
557—45x148, Main st., bet. Sixth and Seventh 9,000
559—58x130, Pacheco, west of Main 2,320
550—425 ft. fronting on Tenth st 5,000
547—50x150 to alley, Flower, near Pico 2,000
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50x150, has a double frontage 800
55x120, Fourth st., near Beaudry 800
548—120x165, corner Flower and Eighth 7,500
539—50x140, Temple st.; ¼ cash 1,700
542—114x150, cor. Main and Jenkins ave 3,500
535—50x150, in Sherman tract 500
538—42x125 to alley, Washington st., each 800
527—150x165, Olive and Twelfth, corner 10,000
530—40x120 to alley, north side Temple st 900
531—25x121, Los Angeles st., per foot 125
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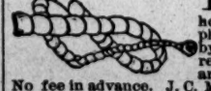

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COURTSHIP ON THE RANGE.

Fine Emmet, cattleman, or Dan de Durham, as he was sometimes called, was a character who had an existence and a location at Deer Trail, Col. Fine possessed a large amount of personality, as, indeed, did many of the sturdy cowmen of the plains. He was the owner of large herds of cattle, and, by the use of the unlimited range afforded by Uncle Sam's vacant land, had only to take care of what he had and watch himself grow rich.

Besides his cattle business, he was also an expert gambler, and, as nearly everybody in this western country indulged in this kind of a pastime, he found no difficulty in providing himself with partners to his heart's content. There seemed to be method in his indulgence, for he nearly always pocketed the stakes and increased his possessions thereby.

In the conduct of his business he employed quite a large number of cowboys and with these, in one way and another, he would manage to play until their earnings were all exhausted, and at the end of the season they would have nothing to show for their work.

Among the rest whom he employed one spring for this kind of work was Pat Drake. Pat was a fine-looking young fellow, skilled in all the arts that go to make an expert cowboy, at home in the saddle, and toying with a lariat as a child would a plaything. Another fact, not so well understood in camp, was that he was very expert at cards, and would play whenever he was invited with all the nonchalance with which he engaged in every duty or pleasure that fell to his lot.

The old mat Hitson was another large cattle owner who lived at Deer Tail. He was formerly from Texas, and had a large family comprising two daughters and several sons. He was of the lawless renegade sort who had always brought odium on the whole fraternity of cowboys and cattlemen, and his family partook of these characteristics.

One daughter, Nellie, though uncouth and rude, as with her surroundings she could not help being, was nevertheless possessed of finer sensibilities, higher aspirations, and a more affectionate temperament than the rest.

Emmet had all along admired Nellie, and it had generally been understood, by the family and others who knew them, that they would eventually unite their destinies. But when Pat Drake, with his handsome face and dashing ways, came into the camp, it was easy to be seen that he made an impression upon the fair Nellie and was himself smitten with her.

The reckless, happy-go-lucky Pat rode the range faithfully during the day, and was ready for any proposed amusement in the evening. It not unfrequently happened that by some coincidence he met and spent a portion of the evening with Nellie.

Though his services were valuable, he was not long in seeing that he was not liked by his employer, and was also aware that the Hitson boys were far from regarding him with favor.

An instinctive feeling that Pat was his equal, or some sort of reluctance, had prevented Emmet from playing with him. One evening after several months' service, however, they met at the saloon when Jesse Hitson was present. After significant winks had passed between him and Emmet, the latter invited Pat to play, and they were soon seated and playing in dead earnest. Emmet soon became aware of the fact that he had met no "tenderfoot," but he was bound to win, at least, the amount he was owing Pat for his services. Pat, however, steadily led the game, and Emmet found himself as steadily losing, at which he began to play more recklessly, and endeavored by swaggering to intimidate Pat. The latter kept perfectly cool, however, and continued to pocket the stakes. The amount of the winnings had now reached several hundred dollars, and Emmet decided to put a stop to it some way, and finally he angrily exclaimed:

"You are cheating, Pat!"

"It is a lie!" said Pat quietly, and almost in the same breath.

Both men grasped for their revolvers, but Pat was surprised to hear Jesse Hitson say, coolly:

"Don't ye pull your gun, Pat; I've got the drop on ye."

For an instant Pat's coolness left him, as he saw the fearful odds against him; then everybody was startled by hearing a female voice saying:

"'Hide out,' Jesse Hitson, or I will let daylight through you! Give your gun to the bartender and go through that door quick." Then, almost in the same breath, Nellie, for she it was, added: "Pull your gun, Pat! I have got the drop on both of them, and am going to see fair play." Then, when she had seen Jesse out of the door and Pat's revolver in position, she said to Emmet: "Now, Fine Emmet, you put up or shut up! Back out or go on and play just as you choose, but if you do play, I will see that it is done fair. In fact, I never would have interfered but for some remarks I overheard Jesse make, and from which I concluded Pat would have no chance against both of you."

There was something about backing out, and that, too, in the presence of Nellie, that Emmet could not bear, and so he concluded to try his luck still further. His playing was of such a spiritless character, however, that Pat had a complete victory. His winnings grew considerably larger, and 200 head of cattle had been staked and won before Emmet would consent to back down, though every minute that he played was sacrificing so much to his pride.

When at last Emmet withdrew it was in no half-hearted way, but with a cordial manner, and he took Pat's hand and said:

"Pat, you are the best man, and I am glad to surrender to such a whole-souled fellow, and one who has done everything on the square; but the worst of it is, I suppose I must surrender Nellie, too. What can't be cured must be endured, though, and the only consolation I know is to seek some one else to fill the aching void." And then he added: "I don't want you to fix a day for the wedding until I have a chance to see you again, as I want to make some arrangements that will be agreeable both to you and to me. You are now the owner of cattle enough to make a cowman of no mean pretensions, and we want to keep on friendly terms. Still it seems a little rough for me to have to furnish the bride and the settin' out too."

Pat deposited enough money with the bar-keeper to entertain all callers, and then walked home with Nellie.

Upon arriving at the Hitson homestead they found Jesse had preceded them, and the whole family was in an uproar. The only one who espoused Nellie's cause was her mother, and this, too, contrary to the expectations of Nellie and Pat. Fine Emmet, they knew, was considered too good a catch to be trifled away. But though the old lady had showed a disposition to see fair play, she did not assent to the whole transaction without an investigation, and as the young couple entered she said—

"What does this mean, Nell?"

"It means that Pat and I have been out walking," said the girl, somewhat timidly.

"How did you come to be walking together, Pat?"

"Nellie helped me out of a bad scrape and saved my life, so very naturally I saw her home; moreover, we love each other, and want you to consent to our marriage."

"But Fine Emmet has the first claim to her," said the old lady.

"He has given it up fair and square and says I can have her," said Pat.

"That makes things look different," said the old woman. "But what can a poor cowboy like you do with a wife? How can you take care of Nell, who has always had all the ponies she wanted to ride, and everything to her notion?"

"I have 200 cattle and $1,000 in money that I won of Fine Emmet tonight," said he.

"Can you keep them?" the old woman queried.

"That I can, and get more all the while."

"Wall, that looks like business, and I guess the old man and I can get along with it if you two can, and Fine feels as you say about it. If he only wanted Kate, now, you too could be partners, and make a strong team on this range, with the Hitsons to back you."

Kate, to whom the old woman had referred, was the older daughter, and, though not possessed of as desirable a disposition as Nellie, had always been jealous of Emmet's attentions to her, and as she listened it was evident that the arrangement rather pleased her than otherwise, and, unnoticed by the rest, she glided out of the house. Not many minutes afterward she returned, accompanied by Fine Emmet, and in high glee shouted:

"Mother, Fine wants you to consent for him to marry me, and we want a double wedding one week from today."

"Wall! this beats all the doings down in Texas before the war," said the dazed old woman. "But you can't get married next week, or the week after, and not until the east 'round-up' gets back. Then we will have the biggest time there has been on this creek for twenty years. With fiddles from Denver, and a man to keep sober and take care of the guns, there shall be no limit to the enjoyment, and you shall have a glorious 'send-off.'"

Life and Death With a Snake.

A Scotchman thus relates a stirring incident that occurred upon the Isthmus of Panama: "The day was melting. The path was shady, and runs through a grove of mango bushes, and being fond o' the fruit I picked and ate till I could eat no longer, when what should dart down from the tree, full at my face, but one of those nasty black constrictors. Luckily I put up my right hand and catched him by the neck before he had time to bite. I knew the vermin weel, and had shot plenty o' them, and, to tell the real truth, their hug's waur than their bite, for they don't belong to the poisonous kind. But they are fashlous enough for all that, for if they come to close grips it takes a pretty stout chiel to untwist them. Weel, as I had the vermin safe by the neck, I didna fash myself very much, beyond wonderin' whather I would kill him or 'take him home alive. Mind ye, all the time he was dabbin' an' dabbin' at me wi' that forked tongue o' his glintin' in and out o' his ugly mouth, like the telegraph needles. Kill him, thinks I. But first to swing him off, for by this time he had the grip, and wasna like to yield. I soon found that there were twa to that game. Try as I might, my gentleman would not budge an inch. I tried my full strength, but na. I cried to Jennie to fetch something, for I was not far off the station, but she never heard. I was beginning not to like the way things were going, for the beast was grippin' aye the closer, and the arm that held him was getting tired. Besides, the grip was round the other arm, which I could only move below the elbow. The beast was coiled over my left shoulder, then round under my right arm, and then across my waist, binding, as I've told you, my left arm. If once I let go, I knew he would strangle me, and to tell the truth, I could not hold out much longer. I always carried a knife, which I knew was in the pocket of the flannel shirt I was wearing, and my only chance lay in getting at it. I could just reach it by bending my left arm, and I daurna let go to the right. And as I fumbl't it gave me a terrible turn to find that the vermin had steekit my pocket as firm as if it had been sewn up. My right wrist was getting weaker and weaker with holding the snake, and faith the constrictor knew it as he girned and hissed at me, and darted fire o' these ugly een o' his. I was sair left to mysel. Thinks I, 'Mac, you've got your match at last.' I didna care so much for my chest, for all his cuddlin': but my throat, once round that, and I would have said, Mac, ye're a dead man!' All this time the vermin was trying to get to my throat, and as I found him winding up, the perspiration broke over me. What was to become o' the wife and Jennie, and me awa? That was an anxious thocht to me at the time. Weel, just as my gentleman was working for my throat wi' his coils, he gave my pocket the slip, and left it free. I felt my arm growing strong again. 'Feel for the knife now, Mac,' says I to myself, and in two cracks it was in my hand. Then bending my head to meet my hand—I know the brute thocht I was done—I unclasped the gully with my teeth, and in an instant after it was slipped in between him and my body, with the edge turned out.'"

C. B. LEWIS.

Biographical Sketch of "M. Quad," the Detroit Free Press Humorist.

Chas. B. Lewis, or "M. Quad," who has made the Detroit *Free Press* paper famous by his humorous articles, is now a man of about forty-five. He started life as a printer, on a paper in Lansing, Mich. He served for three years in the war of the rebellion, on the Union side. At the close of his military career he accidentally learned of a journalistic opening. This fact was the turning point in a life filled to overflowing with a certain kind of eventful interest. Seeing one day an advertisement in a printer's journal that there was a paper wanting an editor in Jonesboro, Tenn., he applied for the situation and his proposition was accepted. He threw up his situation in Lansing and started for Jonesboro. Coming into Cincinnati he was surprised at the bigness of the city, and when he saw the steamer which was to convey him down the river puffing and blowing out great quantities of steam he rather feared to enter her. He went up to the clerk, who was taking bills of lading, and asked him if he thought there was any danger of the steamer blowing up, as if so he did not care to go. A crowd of passengers standing by laughed, and the clerk was inclined to think that Lewis was trying to guy him. A glance at his green, country air, and a look at his honest face, convinced him that the young man was in earnest, and he assured him that the "Magnolia," for it was that famous boat, was all right, and that he could safely trust himself to her. With that "M. Quad" took his bundle from his shoulder and stepped on board. Now, a rival boat had got about fifteen miles' start of the "Magnolia," and as she left the wharf she put on all steam, intending to catch and pass her. Lewis supposed it was all right, and was much interested in watching the machinery.

The "Magnolia" was the fastest boat on the river, but this time she outdid herself, and just as she came in sight of the rival boat her boiler burst, and up went the ship, and Lewis went up with it, but coming down near the shore he was just able to crawl to dry land, when he sank down insensible. Being so near the engine he was badly injured, and his face was so covered with soot that he looked like a very negro. Those who came to the assistance of the other passengers thought him such, and paid no attention to him until all the others were cared for. Then they took him in charge and sent him to the hospital at Cincinnati. His eyes were almost put out, and it was not thought that he would live.

He recovered, however, and threatening the steamboat company with a suit, succeeded in extracting $12,000 from it. Half of this sum went to his lawyer. With the remainder in his pocket he went back to his home in Lansing. His first journalistic work after his return to Michigan was done on a newspaper published at Pontiac. One day the editor went away, leaving Lewis in charge, and not enough copy to fill out the paper. Lewis made enough copy to fill it himself—composing an article giving a full account of his adventures on the Mississippi. It was headed, "How it feels to Be Blown Up." And Lewis composed it in a humorous vein, setting it up as he went along. The article was copied widely, and, among other papers, in the Detroit *Free Press*. He was engaged by the editor of that paper as a reporter, and was placed in charge of the local, criminal, and fire departments of the journal. It was while pursuing his duties as reporter that he was struck with an inspiration which laid the foundation for great future popularity. While noting the daily occurrence of incidents, tragic and amusing, which grew out of the criminal record, he conceived the idea of originating his, "Hour at the Central Station," a series of incidents which contained vastly more humorous originality than truth and veracity. "Bijah Joy," a real personage, was selected as the central figure, around which a strange kaleidoscope of exaggerated humanity was daily set in motion, to the unbounded amusement of the laughter-loving public.

A trouble soon arose in the *Free Press* camp, however, through the zeal of the rising young journalist, which bade fair to end disastrously for all concerned. In originating his series of criminal sketches, Lewis at first used the real names of parties who were summoned before the magistrate, clothing them with exaggerated fictitious raiment, which, while highly amusing to outsiders, somewhat lacked the necessary humorous element for the appreciation of those most vitally interested in the matter, and the result was a vigorous and concerted "kick." For a time it is said to have required the services of several accomplished peace-makers to satisfy the mob who daily besieged the offices of the newly-created humorous journal. After a time the novelty of this sort of thing is alleged to have worn off with those most interested, and Lewis—or, as he was now known, "M. Quad"—was requested, as his imagination was evidently unbounded, to carry it far enough to cover the matter of cognomens, as well as incidents. This smoothed matters over, and the "Hour at the Central Station" became one of the features of the paper.

As time rolled on, the "Hour at the Central Station" began to lose its freshness as a literary and journalistic novelty, and the inventive brain of its author was set to work to think out a worthy successor that would admit of new and striking features without entirely ignoring the general plan of humor which had been originally decided upon. The now famous "Lime Kiln Club" was the eventual result of these cogitations, a style of humor which admits of that dry philosophy for the production of which "M. Quad" has long been noted. These articles have now been running once a week without cessation for several years.

In addition to his humorous productions Lewis is the author of occasional bits of tender pathos—quaint scenes from the tearful and tragic side of life—which, in the estimation of many of his admirers, take rank above his lighter work. Under his earlier contracts with the *Free Press* he was not restricted in regard to writing for outside publications, and as his pen is a wonderfully prolific one, he produced much that was published in various parts of the country, for the most part anonymously. Among these productions may be mentioned a series of "Black Hill Sketches" for the Cincinnati *Enquirer*, weird and fanciful pictures of backwoods life which were said to have been exceedingly popular; paragraphs humorous and otherwise for the Pittsburg *Dispatch*, New York *Telegram*, New York *Star*, and a series of humorous sketches and stories for *Ballou's Magazine*. All these contributions, with the single exception of those published by *Ballou*, appeared anonymously.

Mr. Lewis is said to receive $5,000 a year from the *Free Press*, and he has declined many offers of a larger salary from other newspapers, preferring to remain in Detroit.—*Tid-Bits*.

FILLING A TOOTH.

Contrast Between the Methods of Old-Time Dentists and Those of To-day.

"When an old-time dentist began to prepare a tooth for filling," said a dentist to a Philadelphia *News* reporter, "he began by laboriously removing the decay from the cavity in the tooth with a hand-drill—a sort of cup-shaped gouge. A great deal of difficulty was experienced in keeping the tooth dry, as the least moisture in the cavity would prevent the filling from packing. To overcome this the patient's head was thrown back until his face was horizontal, and a napkin was constantly employed to wipe off the tooth. If the nerve was exposed it was killed with a red-hot wire, a proceeding, I can assure you, that in the anti-nitrous-oxide gas days caused the patient to screech with great vigor. When the hole had been properly drilled out—two hours' work, at least—the filling was put in and packed into place by what was known as 'hand-pressure'—simply pressing the gold in with a steel needle. Later on the hand mallet came into vogue. The filling was hammered into place with a steel prod and a metal mallet, a process requiring two operators—one to hold the mouth open and direct the prod, while the other gave the mallet strokes. It was not calculated to make a man particularly happy, especially if the nerve had been improperly treated.

"After the hand mallet came the automatic plugger, and with it a most ingenious idea, called the 'rubber dam.' That is simply a sheet of thin rubber, into which holes are punched by an instrument so adjusted that the hole can be of any required size. The 'dam' is placed over the tooth, first being secured behind the head with clamps, and not a particle of spittle can interfere with the operation. To make this doubly sure a silken ligature is tied around the tooth, and, the patient being provided with a saliva ejector, the operator is free to work without hinderance or delay. I look upon the 'rubber dam' as invaluable.

"The automatic plugger is now giving way to the electric plugger, an ingenious little instrument operated by electricity that gives a multiplicity of strokes whose force can be regulated at will. You can readily see how quickly the work can be done.

"The preparatory process is equally speedy. A four-cell battery furnishes power to a revolving rod, which turns 2,000 times a minute. The end of the rod is hollow, and into it is fitted a drill which the operator selects from a large collection as best suited for the size and depth of the cavity. To such a state of perfection has this been brought that it is possible to drill all around the nerve, then put a cap over it, and over the cap the filling. When the tooth-structure shows that the nerve should be destroyed it is devitalized by a painless process. This, however, is not often necessary. After the filling process is completed the rough surface of the gold is made flush with the tooth by means of a rapidly revolving corundum-wheel propelled by the same electric power. An hour suffices for the entire operation. Ten or fifteen years ago a half-day was consumed, and often very unsatisfactorily.

In The Good Old Time.

We always sat on the rear benches at church, and when the doxology had been sung and the benediction had been pronounced, we "slid out." This is the Latin for going outside and ranging ourselves in rows just beyond the door and on either side of the walk leading from it. When the girls came out, one at a time, we watched our chances and asked the momentous question: "Can I see you home to-night?" so low nobody but the girl could hear it, and then walked off with her as proudly as if we had conquered a nation—unless we got 'the mitten," sometimes called "the sack" for short.

A good-looking girl often "sacked" as many as a dozen of us before she got through with the exercise of the evening. The less desirable girls came out first, and, as all of us were bent on carrying off the prize beauty, were permitted to depart for home unmolested. Some of them occasionally looked out of the corners of their eyes at us, as much as to say "Molest me if you want to," but we suffered them to depart in peace. When the belle of the evening came to the door there was a general sigh outside, and those nearest her all tendered her their arms. She would cast her eagle eye over the calf-pasture and pick out the one who held highest favor in her eyes and take his arm and lean lovingly upon it, while the other boys found themselves alone in the silent darkness with no more girls to ask and none to go home with or make them afraid. Slowly and sadly we took up our weary burdens and wandered toward home, striving to think of some charm that would enable us to overthrow our successful rival.—*Burlington Reporter*.

A Sensible Suggestion.

Old Moneybags (engaged to poor, but pretty young lady)—My darling, my physician thinks my lungs are affected and that the matter may become very serious.

Young lady (not at all alarmed) Oh, I fancy your lungs are all right.

Old Moneybags—And he thinks it would be advisable for me to postpone our wedding until I shall have taken a course of treatment.

Young lady (very much alarmed)—Oh, dear Mr. Moneybags, it would break my heart! Rather let the ceremony take place at once, and trust the rest to the loving care of a devoted wife.

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We could fill several columns expatiating on the merits of this high-arm machine, but to save the reader's patience we will simply say that it contains all the modern improvements, is strong, simple, durable, light-running and noiseless.

OUTFIT—Each machine is supplied with the following outfit: One Hemmer and Feller (one piece), Twelve Needles, Six Bobbins, One Wrench, One Quilting Gauge, One Screw Driver, Oil Can filled with Oil, Cloth Gauge and Thumb-screw and a Book of Directions. The following extra attachements are also furnished free: Ruffler, Tucker, Binder, Set of Wide Hemmers and Shirring Plate.

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Knowing the character of the machine and the high grade of material and workmanship entering into its construction, we have no hesitation in agreeing to return the money at once to any subscriber who is not fully satisfied on examination that our high-arm machine is fully equal to our representations, we paying freight on return of the machine.

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PASADENA, Cal., Oct. 30, 1886.

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"HIGHLY PLEASED WITH IT."

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 20, 1886.

Times-Mirror Company: In reply to yours of 26th would state that I am highly pleased with the Premium Sewing-Machine I received with the MIRROR. Gives every satisfaction; so easy to learn how to manage; does such excellent work; in fact cannot praise it too much, and would not take twice the amount it cost me. I am, yours respectfully, MRS. EDWIN BROWN.

"THE MORE WE USE IT, THE BETTER WE LIKE IT."

PASADENA, Cal., Oct. 28, 1886.

Times-Mirror Company: I have used your sewing-machine since last July. The more we use it the better we like it. On fine and heavy work it is splendid. We have tried the attachment. In fact, it goes ahead of your advertisement so far.

MRS. S. A. WARE Pasadena, Cal.

"LIKES IT BETTER THAN THE $125 SINGER."

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Aug. 1, 1886.

Times-Mirror Company: The machine gives entire satisfaction. My wife likes it better than the $125 Singer that it has replaced. Yours truly,

JOSEPH WILSON.

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"GIVES GOOD SATISFACTION."

EAST LOS ANGELES, Cal., July 1, 1886.

Times-Mirror Company: We have the High-Arm Machine and use it for light family sewing. It gives good satisfaction. Yours etc. S. W. TRUE.

"RUNS SMOOTH—AND SEWS EVERYTHING BUT BUTTONS."

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 20, 1886.

Times-Mirror Company: The report from the chief engineer of the sewing-department of my domestic establishment is to the effect that the sewing-machine lately furnished by you for $22 arrived in good order and in due time, and has given entire satisfaction. It runs lightly and with very little noise and performs to perfection all kinds of sewing work with the exception of buttons. Very truly yours, WM. P. WADE.

"TRIED 'EM ALL AND LIKES THE MIRROR MACHINE BEST."

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 29, 1886.

Times-Mirror Company: My wife tried several $75 machines, and chose the Mirror Premium Sewing-Machine as an equal to the best in the market, *for one-fourth of the money*. It is perfect in all particulars, and admired by all who see it. My wife has been using it several months, and we both cheerfully recommend it to the public, ras epresented. WM. L. PRICE,

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"SAME IN WORKMANSHIP AND MATERIAL AS THE HIGH-PRICED ARTICLE."

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 21, 1886.

Times-Mirror Company: Having sold hundreds of the Remington Sewing-Machines for $65, which you are now offering with the WEEKLY MIRROR at $22, I wish to say that the machine you offer is identically the same as the high-priced article both as to material, workmanship and capacity. Being a resident here and an experienced sewing-machine man, I will take pleasure in instructing any one in working the machine, in this place or vicinity.

C. E. SPENCER.

"IS DELIGHTED WITH IT."

POMONA, Cal., Oct. 25, 1886.

Times-Mirror Company: The High-Arm Mirror Sewing-Machine came in good time, in excellent condition, without scratch or blemish, and I am delighted with it.

We believe the machine is all that you recommend it to be, and think it a rare opportunity for those who may a want a machine to get a first-class one cheap. Yours truly, MRS. J. W. STRINGFIELD.

"PERFECT IN EVERY RESPECT."

NORWALK, Cal., Oct. 26, 1886.

Times-Mirror Company: The High-Arm Premium Machine arrived in prime condition, and is perfect in every respect. Freight $2.50, with first cost added, making $22.50 for as good a machine as are usually sold through agents for $75. Well pleased. Yours respectfully,

MRS. E. C. CRANSTON.

"VERY MUCH PLEASED WITH IT."

DOWNEY, Cal., Oct. 26, 1886.

Times-Mirror Company: I am very much pleased with my machine, as far as I have used it, and feel safe in saying that I have just as good a machine as if I had given $65 for it. Shall advise any of my friends to try this before buying any other, as I think it is fully as good as represented. Very truly, MRS. MARTHA ALLISON.

"RUNS LIGHT AND EASY—DOES ITS WORK WELL."

PASADENA, Cal., Nov. 29, 1886.

Times-Mirror Company: I can say in regard to the machine that it is well liked. It runs light and easy, and does its work well. It is a very cheap machine at the price you furnish it. Yours truly,

S. M. SHAW.

"EQUAL TO BEST SHE EVER USED."

COMPTON, Cal., Oct. 29, 1886.

Timer-Mirror Company: The High-Arm Sewing-Machine ordered from your company was received in good order, and Mrs Parcel says it is equal to the best of any other kind she has ever used. Very respectfully, WM. T. PARCEL.

"PROVES SATISFACTORY."

SAN GABRIEL, Cal., Oct. 25, 1886.

Times-Mirror Company: The sewing-machine we received through your office proves satisfactory. Truly yours,

W. F. BEADLEY.

"WIFE THINKS IT THE BEST SHE EVER USED."

TUSTIN CITY, Cal., Nov. 3, 1886.

Times-Mirror Company: We received Premium Sewing-Machine through your office, and my wife thinks it the best she ever used, consequently are well pleased.

J. W. MCLELLAN.

"SUPERIOR IN SOME RESPECTS TO THE BEST."

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 20, 1886.

Times-Mirror Company: My wife and daughter are well pleased with your Times-Mirror Sewing-Machine. They have used several of the best makes of machines and yet say your machine is superior in some respects to those they have used, and in no way inferior. They were at first afraid, as many are, no doubt, that it is too cheap to be first-class, but are now satisfied that it is as good as machines costing three or four times as much. Yours truly,

S. A. MATTISON.

"TIGHTENED THE SCREW AND SHE RUNS ALL RIGHT."

NEWHALL, Cal., Nov. 3, 1886.

Times-Mirror Company: Yours of the 1st inst. received. Will say in reply that soon after I wrote you I discovered the cause of the trouble. The little tension screw in the shuttle had worked loose and was nearly out, and the shuttle thread, in sewing fast, would catch on the screw and break. I tightened the screw and it now works like a charm; no more breaking thread or irregularity of stitch.

Very respectfully, L. A. MYERS.

"ONE OF THE BEST INVESTMENTS THEY EVER MADE."

ORANGE, Cal., Oct. 22, 1886.

Times-Mirror Company: We received our High-Armed Sewing-Machine in good order, and I am very much pleased with it, and consider it one of the best investments we ever made. It is nicely finished, and runs strong and light, doing nice work. Any one needing a good machine I do not think can do better than invest $22 in the machine and MIRROR. Respectfully yours,

MRS. U. L. SHAFFER.

"MORE THAN SATISFIED AND GLADLY RECOMMENDS IT."

ORANGE, Cal., Oct. 22, 1886.

Times-Mirror Company: I thank you for sending to us for testimonials, as I had sat my new machine in the parlor, without even threading it, as I was very busy, and had a good machine ready for work I was used to running. So I did not take time to do anything with the new one until I received your letter. Then I brought it out and went to running it to test it. I am more than satisfied, and gladly recommend it to those in need of a machine. I think I would have gained time to have used it long ago. Our little girl wants to write a letter to Mrs. Otis for the children's column. So if it is not worthy of a place there, just drop it in the waste-basket please. As ever,

MARTHA M. SHAFFER.

"EQUAL TO ANY $65 MACHINE."

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 19, 1886.

Times-Mirror Company: For the benefit of those who stand in need of a good sewing-machine, I will say, that after using the Premium Machine for about four months, I find it equal to any $65 machine I have seen. Yours, etc.,

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POINTS OF THE MORNING'S NEWS.

John Sherman leaves a southern hotel where he was not allowed to receive colored visitors....Terrible experiences of residents in the flooded lands in Dakota....Garrett says the Baltimore and Ohio deal is consummated....Fire at Eureka....Beecher's personal property to be sold....Gebhardt and Mrs. Langtry to marry....More California postmasters appointed....New railway enterprise in Arizona....The phylloxera in French vineyards....Charges of forgery against a prominent Philadelphia firm....Fire in a mine at Bald Mountain....Another call for government bonds....The Foreign Labor Contract Act in force....The Santa Rosa and Benicia Railway....Garrett makes $200,000 by the Sully negotiations....Railway extension in San Luis Obispo county....Ex-Senator Tabor buys an Arizona mine....Oregon's efforts to secure immigrants....Queen Victoria's reception at Birmingham.....Emperor William still celebrating....Two slave ships captured....Explosion in an Australian colliery....Gladstone's message to Editor Dana....Report of the Richmond Terminal Company....Winter's rigors in Canada....A little girl accidentally killed at Quincy....Real estate notes from Orange and San Luis Obispo....Murder of an old Arizona citizen....Resolutions of Portland (Or.) on the new Interstate rules....Carter Harrison declines a renomination as Mayor of Chicago....High license victory in New York....Twelve men burned to death at Bessemer, Mich.

ARIZONA has a railroad building boom "onto" her.

A STORY of forged paper and consequent consternation in commercial circles in the Quaker City comes by telegraph.

THE death of Henry Ward Beecher leaves an aching void in the "Mugwump annex" to the Administration that it will be hard to fill.

JEFF DAVIS announces the fact that he never expects to see the National Capital again. Even with this afflicting intelligence, the country is expected to survive.

THE soiled Lily Langtry and the dude, Freddy Gebhardt, will marry so soon as the woman can legally throw off her present husband. She "threw off on" him long ago. These people have made a public exhibition of themselves for now several years.

THE phylloxera is the subject of an interesting dispatch to the State Department by U. S. Consul Roosevelt of Bordeaux, France. Among the numerous devices for the distribution and application of insecticides for the extermination of this pest of the vine is an ingenious contrivance invented by an American, Rev. Walter L. Griffin, of New York, which is described in a dispatch from Washington printed elsewhere.

IT is shrewdly suspected that many of the wealthy and successful business men who are now looking over the State in an apparently aimless way, are really on business bent. This suspicion is strengthened by important land transactions that are known to have been consummated, but are not of record.—[San Francisco Report.

Some of the aforesaid have been seen in the south country, Frank G. Newlands, for instance. That gentleman and a party have been skirmishing around the Rancho San Joaquin, a tract of over 100,000 acres, the purchase of which will require a million and a quarter dollars.

THE San Francisco Report is cordially forwarding William T. Coleman's Presidential boom, started by the New York Sun. After describing how consistent a non-office-holder and office-seeker he has been, the Report goes on to say of Mr. Coleman: "Mr. Coleman would enter upon a Presidential campaign with a great deal of strength besides that which his party would give him. He would come forward as a self-made man, as one of the people, who for the first time in the 63 years of his life asked an office or canvassed for a vote. He would show a career begun upon a farm—that nursery of American Presidents — and pursued, with varied fortune, but steady grit, through years of arduous toil and stern endeavor, to success, wealth and honor; and the bitterest of his opponents in the political field would not be able to put his finger upon a spot of meanness, or weakness, or dishonor in the whole of it."

Push the Street Paving.

It is not unfrequently that we hear the remark: "What a magnificent winter resort Los Angeles would be if she only had better streets!" A great metropolitan city ought not to be laid open to such criticism. The time has come for Los Angeles to demand the general improvement of her business thoroughfares. In the matter of improved sidewalks she has made a most noticeable advance within the past two or three years. She has now many miles of artificial stone walks, where once cobble stones and sand did duty. If pedestrians could cling to these improved pavements they would not have much cause for complaint. But the subject of street-paving cannot be too energetically agitated. The city's needs in this direction must be provided for before the coming of another winter, and the present is none too soon to commence the good work.

The future growth of Los Angeles is a thing assured. Its destiny as a great metropolitan center is fixed and certain. Therefore we should begin to build and to improve for the future.

Of course, due deliberation should be exercised in the matter, and a general knowledge of the different materials used for paving in the various cities of the country should be sought, with a view to securing for our streets the best to be obtained. We want a pavement that has been thoroughly tested, and that will stand the severest trials of use. We do not, of course, want to go too far from home for the material—no farther than is necessary to get what will meet the requirements. Our choice determined upon, we should at once set about making provision for its adoption.

The traffic of Los Angeles is now immense. The business interests of the city suffer in no slight degree when that is checked even for two or three days, as it often is when we are visited by heavy winter storms. No one who has ever passed a winter here need be reminded of the unendurable condition of our business streets after a heavy rain. They simply necessitate an almost entire standstill of local trade. Visitors are debarred from the pleasure of drives, or out-of-door pleasures that depend upon carriages and horses. Yet the days succeeding our winter rains are usually the clearest and most enjoyable of any of the perfect days of this climate. The pleasures and the charms of Los Angeles could then be enjoyed to the utmost if our streets were only in a condition to admit of an out-of-doors pursuit of them. Good streets, smoothly paved and dry, would do more to make Los Angeles attractive to the visitor than any other improvement that it is within our power to make. We must not rest with the simple agitation of this matter, or stop with passing resolutions declaring the advisability of street-paving. Every good citizen should lend his help in this matter, and see to it that before the coming of another rainy season every business thoroughfare is substantially paved, so that it shall be free from mud even after the heaviest rain.

Los Angeles is enterprising. She is a city of unusual activity, and that she will not be behind to the demands of her best interests in this respect, we feel confident. But this work should be gone at energetically, and with a spirit of determination that nothing can thwart. We ought to search out unhesitatingly now for all that constitutes metropolitan greatness. The jealousy of the north cannot hinder our growth so long as we properly provide for and protect our own interests. So great is the difference between the Northern and Southern sections of the State there can be no honest rivalry between the two. Each section has its own peculiar characteristics and attractions, and each section should do its utmost for its own upholding and advancement. Even were the population of San Francisco and Los Angeles the same, their distinctive differences could never be lost sight of. There will always be a variation in the causes attracting immigration to each. There need be no jealousy between the two cities. Let San Francisco grow as she will, the growth of Los Angeles will never be hindered by her advancement if she takes care of her own interests. Los Angeles is not only a pleasant summer residence, but, as our visitors assert, with paved streets it would be the most delightful winter resort in the world. Let the good work proposed by the city authorities be pushed to the largest completion. When this is done we shall reap our natural reward.

Amusing.

The San Francisco Bulletin of the 21st inst. contains an exhaustive editorial of nearly a column's length in that big paper, entitled "Booms and Growth of Town and Country." It commences with San Diego and discusses all the growing towns and cities quite up to Humboldt Bay, but somehow forgets to mention Los Angeles or any place in Los Angeles county! Not only all the other coast towns, but Fresno, Oroville, Watsonville and Paso Robles come in for fine notices, as they deserve, but the only mention made of Los Angeles is, that it has been deserted by real-estate people who, in preference, have gone to Oroville, attracted by the superior citrus fruit advantages of that locality. (Referring to Ralph Rogers.) It must not be presumed that the editor of the Bulletin is so lacking in ordinary sensibility as not to feel just a little ashamed of himself when he reflects upon what he has done. The Bulletin's discrimination is so apparent as to lead to the conclusion that it must have been intentional, and we drop the subject with the single remark that Los Angeles is forced to the belief that she need not expect fair play or proper treatment from her brethren of the north, whether it relates to small-pox or any other subject.

AMUSEMENTS.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.—The Pyke Opera Company presented *The Oath of Love* to a fairly large audience last evening. The play was well received. Tonight *Boccaccio.*

EXCURSIONS.

The New Law's Effect—Increase of Travel.

"Well, we are not worrying over it very much as yet," was the reply given by a prominent excursion agent when questioned by a TIMES reporter as to how the agents would get over the railroads after the Interstate Commerce Law goes into effect.

"We know that the roads want to carry our people, and we think we will get along to see after their comfort in some way or other."

"You are not railroad employés, are you?"

"Well, no, perhaps not, within the strict letter of the law, but then you know—."

"Yes, of course we all know. But how is business now? Your season is about over, is it not?"

"Not by any means. Our firm has done three times as much business this month as in any other March since we went into this line. That was some time ago, and the prospects are that our April and May business will be proportionately larger, and that without much advertising, either. The people think that a good many excursionists have come in this season, but next fall and winter they will think that none came, compared with those that will come then. There are a hundred people now, in the East, talking about California where there was one a couple of years ago; and we are going to bring them out here, Interstate or no Interstate Law."

THE TOOTH-TWISTERS.

Quarterly Meeting of Southern California Dentists Set for April 5th.

On the 5th of April the Southern California Odontological Society will meet at No. 237 Spring street. The following subjects will be discussed:

Reminiscences of Replanting and Transplanting Teeth, G. Roscoe Thomas, D.D.S. (Pasadena, Cal., formerly of Detroit, Mich.). Bacteriology, W. H. Masser, M.D., D.D.S. (Santa Anita, Cal.). Crown and Bridge Work, E. L. Townsend, D.D.S. (Los Angeles, Cal.). Clinics—Contour Gold Filling; Electric Mallet, R. H. Shoemaker, D.D.S. (Pasadena, Cal., formerly of Philadelphia, Pa.). Porcelain Crown with Band Attachment, E. L. Townsend, D.D.S. (Los Angeles). The following are the standing committees: Operative Dentistry, Drs. Millard, Masser and Wells; Prosthetic Dentistry, Drs. Townsend, Stauffer and Urmy; Pathology and Therapeutics, Drs. Dunn, Cave and Case; Histology and Microscopy, Drs. Yates and Harlan; Dental Literature and Education, Drs. Baldwin and Janes; New Appliances, Drs. White and Bird; Dental Legislation, Drs. Crawford, Townsend and French; Programme, Drs. Townsend, White and French.

ON HIS HEAD.

An Engine-driver Thrown and Badly Hurt.

About 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon the new fire engine, "J. Kuhrts No. 3," was brought out for trial. While operating on Los Angeles street the horses became frightened, and Charley Davis, the driver, was thrown from his seat and fell to the hard sidewalk. He struck on his head, and for a while his friends thought he had been killed. He was picked up by Officer Little and taken to the police station. At that place it was learned that he was quite badly injured about the head and face. After making him as easy as possible he was taken to the County Hospital, where his wounds were dressed. At a late hour he was resting easy.

G. A. R.

A new post of the Grand Army of the Republic is to be established at Santa Monica on Friday evening of this week. Department Commander E. S. Salomon has detailed as mustering officer for the occasion Capt. J. L. Skinner, a veteran Grand Army worker, formerly of Sumner Post No. 3, of Sacramento, now a member of Stanton Post No. 55, of this city. The "old boys" at Santa Monica propose to furnish rations of baked beans and hardtack for the occasion, and cordially invite all comrades in this vicinity to be present. Any wishing to go, please confer with Capt. Skinner at 207 North Los Angeles street.

Prohibition Club.

The Southern California Prohibition Club held a meeting in Downey block last night, and elected the following officers for the ensuing six months: President, Jesse Yarnall; first vice-president, R. R. Haines; second vice-president, Julius Lyons; secretary, James R. Townsend; treasurer, H. C. Witmer. This club has just organized for the campaign of 1888. Each active member pays $1 per month dues. They propose to import John P. St. John, T. C. Richmond, John B. Finch and other noted speakers of the East to help boom Prohibition.

Opium Fiends.

Charles Patterson and Manuel Mascoreal, the opium fiends, were again arrested last evening. Officers Rogers, Loomis and Romans found them in an old adobe house, on Upper Main street, in Company with Lizzie Abbott. All three were smoking when the officers rushed in, but Lizzie skipped out, and the officers failed to catch her. The fiends only just got out of the clutches of the law a few days ago.

Garvanza's Boom.

The work of grading and leveling the hill just west of the hotel at Garvanza was begun the other day. The work is being done for a number of capitalists, who propose to erect a $200,000 hotel as soon as possible. It is said that strangers are very numerous at that town at present, and a large hotel is absolutely a necessity.

Lost Her House.

Yesterday morning about 4 o'clock a house of ill fame on Alameda street, near Arcadia street, caught fire, and before the firemen could get a stream on the building was destroyed. It was a dry frame building and burned like tinder. One-half of the house was occupied by a woman of ill fame, who lost all of her furniture, etc., and the other half was not occupied.

An Accident.

At 1:15 this morning an accident happened in THE TIMES press-room, whereby the third-page form was "pied." It contained a large amount of neighborhood correspondence and advertisements, which could not be reset, owing to the lateness of the hour.

Taken In

Officer Fred Smith arrested Quong Yung, Ah Leng, Wong Sing, Wong Kame and Ah Wing on Temple street about 11 o'clock last night for violating the laundry ordinance. Each one deposited $10 for his appearance this morning.

PACIFIC COAST.

An Old Arizona Man Found Foully Murdered.

Wily Web-footers Propose to Capture the Los Angeles Boom.

Ex-Senator Tabor Diving Deep in an Arizona Mine.

A Stage-robber Captured at Marysville—Orange and San Luis Obispo Excited Over Real-estate Deals—Other Gleanings from the Pacific Coast.

By Telegraph to The Times.

BENSON, (Ariz.), March 23.—[By the Associated Press.] The brutal murder of Con Ryan, an old citizen of Arizona, is the sensation of the hour. The coroner's jury is still taking the evidence. Some think that the same hand that slew Kilster, some time ago, for money, was also the one which took Ryan's life. The crime was discovered on the 20th inst. by Mr. Devese, of Crittenden, who entered the house, and, not seeing Ryan, looked through the back room, used as a store, and was horrified at seeing the remains of Ryan horribly cut up. His head was chopped to pieces. The weapon, a butcher's cleaver, was lying near by, covered with blood. Two Mexican boys who were in Ryan's employ have fled, and as they are suspected of the crime, officers are on their trail, which leads toward Sonora.

TABOR BUYS A MINE.

PHŒNIX (Ariz.), March 23.—A deed was recorded here today of the Vulture gold mining property to ex-Senator H. A. W. Tabor, of Colorado. The consideration was $265,000. Cyrus Dibble, from Denver, who is now superintendent, left today to take charge of the property at Vulture.

ESCAPED FROM JAIL.

BENSON (Ariz.), March 23.—The following telegram is just received by the sheriff of this county from Navajo Springs:

"Bill Brown, John Brown, George West and Red Murphy escaped from St. John jail on the night of the 19th. Arrest them. A reward will be offered.

(Signed) C. P. OWEN, Sheriff.

WEB-FOOT LAND.

Portland Working for Trade and Bidding for Immigrants.

PORTLAND (Or.), March 23.—[By the Associated Press.] The Board of Trade today adopted a memorial to the Interstate Commission reciting Portland's situation with regard to its commerce by land and sea, and stating that great injustice would be done the small merchants if the railroads are forced out of competition with the steamship lines, and asking that the commission so exercise its powers that the railways may be permitted to make special rates to coast points where competition by ocean lines exists. Copies of the memorial will be sent to the Los Angeles Board of Trade, the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce and to other places interested.

BIDDING FOR IMMIGRANTS.

Arrangements have been made by the State Board of Immigration for the judicious distribution of its literature among people arriving at Los Angeles, San Diego and Pasadena. Every effort is being made to attract these home-seekers to Oregon. A month ago a few pamphlets were sent to San Diego and Pasadena and the results have been such as to warrant a distribution of a good many thousand copies of this handbook.

HOPEFUL HAMLETS.

Encouraging Signs at Orange and San Luis Obispo.

SANTA ANA, March 23.—[By the Associated Press.] The boom on a large scale has struck the town of Orange, and people are elated over the advance in real estate. Improvements are being pushed ahead. A large hotel will soon be thrown open to the public. Two large two-story brick buildings are being erected. A bank, with $100,000 capital has been organized. The street railway is under headway from Orange to Modena. City and country property has advanced 200 to 300 per cent. Tracts of land are being subdivided into small tracts to accommodate the great influx of eastern settlers. It is rumored that Orange is to be made the junction of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fé Railway, with the Riverside, Santa Ana and Los Angeles Railway Company's.

SAN LUIS OBISPO REPORTS PROGRESS.

SAN LUIS OBISPO, March 23.—The increase of business by telegraph is an indication of the boom in this city. This increase is doubling the monthly receipts for business messages and reaches about $30 daily. This is in addition to the railroad business and press dispatches. The records of the County Recorder show that within the past three weeks over 20,000 acres of land in the county and 368 town lots have changed hands.

CAPTURED.

A Stage Robber Captured and Identified at Marysville.

MARYSVILLE, March 23.—[By the Associated Press.] Thomas Labadie captured a man last night answering the description of the highwayman who robbed the stage running between here and Comptonville, on Monday last, of Wells, Fargo & Co.'s box. He was turned over to the Sheriff. A preliminary examination was held, when the arrested man, whose name is George Tuscan, was identified by the stage-driver. He is 23 years of age. There was no financial loss to the company, as the box contained nothing of value.

Fire in a Mine.

DOWNIEVILLE, March 23.—This morning, about 10 o'clock, the buildings of the Bald Mountain Extension Company, at the mouth of the company's tunnel at Forest City, were burned, the fire starting from some overheated tar on a stove in the office. Thirty men, working over a mile and a half under ground, escaped through the air shaft. The loss is covered by an insurance of $3000. A temporary building will be immediately put up, and work will soon be resumed in the mine.

Reassignment of Steamers.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—[By the Associated Press.] The Pacific Coast Steamship Company has made a reassignment of steamer routes. The City of Chester, which has been plying between this port and San Pedro, has been placed on the Humboldt Bay line. The Ancon, formerly on the Humboldt Bay line, starts for Alaska tomorrow by way of Portland, Or.

Committed for Murder.

SALINAS, March 23.—Henry Godfrey was today brought to town by Sheriff Graves and lodged in jail for the killing of John Marigan, alias John McBride, a few miles from Pleyto, on the 17th inst. The next day after the killing, Justice Whitlock, of Jolon, impaneled a jury, who viewed the remains, and adjourned until Monday, the 21st, when Coroner White and District Attorney Tuttle visited the scene and held an inquest, the verdict being that the deceased came to his death by a charge of buckshot, fired from a gun in the hands of Henry Godfrey.

Notes from the Bay.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—Hiram J. Platt, secretary of the District Court of the Order of Foresters, is reported to have left the city. It is said that he is short $200 in his accounts.

Matthias Gray, a well-known music-dealer of this city, died this morning of cerebral congestion. He was 58 years of age.

Fire at Eureka.

EUREKA, March 23.—Devoy's Elite Theater building, occupied by the Bay laundry, was burned last night at 9 o'clock. It cost $1500; insurance $400. A cottage adjoining on the west side was burned. Loss, $500; no insurance.

For Stanford's Stable.

STOCKTON, March 23.—Today, G. W. Trahern, of this city, sold his horse, a nephew of Dan McCarty, for $10,000. It is understood that the horse has been purchased for Senator Stanford's stable.

A Little Girl Killed.

QUINCY, March 23.—Minta Hall, the 8-year-old daughter of D. C. Hall, County Clerk of this place, was instantly killed this afternoon by a log on which she was playing rolling over her.

THE RAILWAYS.

Important Enterprises in Arizona—The Baltimore and Ohio Deal a Fact—Tracklaying in California.

FLAGSTAFF (Ariz.), March 23.—[By the Associated Press.] Railroad building is on a boom in Arizona. Eight miles of the Mineral Belt road, to extend from Flagstaff to Globe, has just been completed, and the camp has been moved from this point to the front, to push the work to completion. A company has been organized to construct a railroad to be know as the Flagstaff and Grand Cañon Railroad, with John S. Morris, an eastern capitalist, as president, and D. M. Riordan, of this city, as treasurer. The company will commence to lay their track about May 1st, and will erect a magnificent hotel at each end of the track for the accommodation of visitors, whom they exect will flock there at all seasons of the year as soon as proper facilities have been provided. This place, situated seventy miles north of Flagstaff, is described by travelers as one of the grandest pieces of scenery in the world, surpassing, it is claimed, the Yellowstone Park, or the Yosemite Valley.

THE SANTA ROSA AND BENICIA ROAD.

SANTA ROSA, March 23.—A meeting was held here today of persons interested in the construction of the Santa Rosa and Benicia Railroad. The week's time which was given Contractor Waltz to furnish bonds for the performance of his contract to construct the road having expired, a committee was appointed to wait on Mr. Waltz. They returned and reported that he refused to attend the meeting, and that he stated that he would not furnish the required bonds. A resolution was adopted stating that as the present holders of the contract for construction of the road had failed to commence work or give bonds as a guarantee of their ability to build the road, the directors of the Santa Rosa and Benicia Railroad were requested to take immediate steps to ignore the contract and let the same to responsible persons. A motion was also adopted to expel W. H. Orr from the board of directors.

THE PACIFIC COAST RAILROAD.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—The Pacific Coast Railroad in San Luis Obispo county is to be extended about eighteen miles through the Santa Inez Valley. This road is the property of the Oregon Improvement Company and is a feeder to the Pacific Coast Steamship Company, running from Hatford to Los Alamos, a distance of sixty-five miles.

GARRETT POCKETS $200,000.

BALTIMORE, March 23.—It is now stated on good authority that the option will remain open to the Ives-Stayner syndicate for the control of the Baltimore and Ohio from the 1st of April. Garrett, it is stated, cleared $200,000 out of the Sully syndicate's failure, and it is also stated that the Garrett interest has purchased all the stock held by the Johns Hopkins University.

THE RICHMOND TERMINAL COMPANY.

NEW YORK, March 23.—The board of directors of the Richmond and West Point Terminal Company, at their meeting today, approved the annual report of the company, to be presented to the stockholders. The report shows that the company owns securities amounting to $45,076,804. The total amount of the common stock issued is $40,000,000, and the preferred $5,000,000. The only bonds outstanding are those of the collateral trust loan of $8,500,000, the interest on which, $510,000, is the only absolute fixed charge. The mileage now owned and controlled is 4475 miles.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC'S NEW BRANCHES.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—Col. C. F. Crocker stated today that several vessels laden with track and other construction material are now on their way to this city from Liverpool. "They will arrive shortly here," he continued, "and then we will be able to start right ahead on our tracklaying work again. As regards the Newhall extension, the road is now in operation a few miles below Santa Paula, but the graders are on the other side of San Buenaventura. We will be running to the latter point very shortly now, and we will soon reach Santa Barbara. A large corps of engineers is now making the last surveys on the road to be constructed between Santa Ana and San Diego, and they are now down below Oceanside. We will commence constructing it before long, and will then have an independent line of our own to San Diego."

GARRETT SAYS IT IS A TRADE.

BALTIMORE, March 23.—President Garrett today told Mayor Hodges that the much-talked-of railroad deal had been consummated and that but a few minor details remained to be arranged. Messrs. Ives and Stayner were in the city today and were closeted with Garrett for some time. The vice-president and several other officials of the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton Railroad also arrived here tonight in a special car from Cincinnati. They are supposed to be here on business of the deal.

Beecher's Personal Effects.

NEW YORK, March 23.—Beecher's books, engravings, etchings and paintings and bric-à-brac will be sold at auction next fall. The library contains about 10,000 volumes. While he bought many costly gems he gave away most of them, and those he left are probably worth not more than $2000. His farm, the Boscobel, at Peekskill, which is for sale, is valued at $100,000.

Freddy and the Lily Will Wed.

NEW YORK, March 23.—Irwin Dazent, named by several newspapers as engaged to Mrs. Langtry, is authority for the statement that the Jersey Lily will marry Freddy Gebhardt as soon as the legal impediments can be removed.

THE COLOR LINE.

John Sherman Asserts His Convictions

By Promptly Leaving a Hotel Way Down in Alabama,

Whose Host Would Not Admit Colored Men to See the Senator.

Twelve Miners Burned to Death in Michigan—Philadelphia Excited Over a Crooked Commercial Collapse—The New American Trotting Association.

By Telegraph to The Times.

BIRMINGHAM (Ala.), March 23.—[By the Associated Press.] Senator Sherman before he left for Nashville, this morning, received a delegation of colored citizens in the United States courtroom. A long address was presented to him eulogizing his action in leaving the hotel where the proprietor yesterday refused to permit the presence of colored visitors in his room.

Sherman, in response, advised forbearance, and said: "Be true to yourselves, be industrious, and the day will come when you can command recognition as men and citizens of the United States, free and equal with all men."

NASHVILLE (Tenn.), March 23.—John Sherman reached this city at 7:30 o'clock tonight. He will be escorted about the city tomorrow.

BURNED TO DEATH.

Terrible Fate of Twelve Miners in Michigan.

BESSEMER (Mich.), March 23.—[By the Associated Press.] Early this morning, twelve miners were burned to death in a boarding-house in this place, and several others were seriously injured. The occupants of the building were all asleep, and the fire was first discovered by Mr. and Mrs. Miller, who kept the boarding-house, and when they were awakened, the whole building was in flames. They narrowly escaped with their lives, and did not even have time to awaken the twenty miners who were sleeping on the second floor. When they awoke, the building was a mass of flames. Several men were overcome by the smoke, and jumped from the windows, escaping; but twelve perished. Their names were: James Ryan, William Williams, Herman Rosseo, John Garvey, J. Broisa, Max Primo, John Ball, Henry Saom, John Lyon, unknown man, John Sullok.

James Lynch, one of the occupants of the place, says that there were four other persons in the same room with him. He was awakened by a room-mate clambering over him toward the window. The room was full of smoke and flame at the time, and he barely succeeded in breaking open the window and making his escape. He jumped to the ground and received but slight injuries.

The house was a tinderbox and in a few minutes after Mr. and Mrs. Miller escaped was a mass of ruins. It was located in an open space near the famous Colby mine and a great crowd of miners soon gathered, but too late to be of any assistance. When the charred remains were removed identification was impossible.

FORGED PAPER.

Philadelphia Excited Over Strange Mercantile Revelations.

PHILADELPHIA, March 23.—[By the Associated Press.] The announcement in this morning's papers of the attachment proceeding begun yesterday by the brokerage firm of Keene, Bodine & Co. against James & John Hunter, under the Fraudulent Debtor Act of 1869, caused great surprise, amounting almost to consternation, in commercial and political circles. The greatest occasion for surprise was that the attachments were accompanied with allegations of forgeries in connection with the firm's papers. Nothing has been heard today from James Hunter, the senior member of the firm. It is the general belief that he has absconded. His brother and partner, John Hunter, is completely mystified by the revelations. No steps have been taken toward a criminal prosecution.

TURF TALK.

The New Trotting Association Promises to Be a Success.

DETROIT, March 23.—[By the Associated Press.] Secretary Steiner, of the new trotting association, in an interview this afternoon, said: "The American Trotting Association is receiving enthusiastic and tangible support from all over the West, and from many points in the East. Michigan, Minnesota, Indiana, Kansas and Nebraska are practically a unit for the new association, and other States are falling into line. The Rocky Mountain circuit, comprising associations at Pueblo, Denver, Cheyenne, Salt Lake City, and Bellevue, Idaho, has made application for membership. The Big Four circuit, of Illinois, the Southern Michigan circuit, the State fairs of Indiana, Wisconsin and Nebraska, besides numerous other societies, will fall under the colors of the 'American.' Success is assured."

A Long Cruise for the Thetis.

NEW YORK, March 23.—The United States steamer Thetis, the sailing vessel purchased by the Navy Department as an exploring steamer in the search for Lieut. Greely, and which was flagship of the expedition, has been equipped as a naval vessel, and will sail tomorrow for duty in Alaskan waters. She will make her first stop at Montevideo and thence through the straits of Magellan to Valparaiso, and thence to San Francisco, where she will obtain full supplies for her cruise. She is in command of Lieut. William H. Emory, who commanded the Bear on the Greely expedition.

Winter's Rigors in Canada.

OTTAWA, March 23.—Van Horn, of the Canadian Pacific Railway, reports that trains are now running regularly between Calgary and the Pacific coast. He says that the past winter has been exceptionally severe, snow-slides sweeping before them trees of at least thirty years' growth. The snow-sheds stand the test well.

ST. PAUL (Minn.), March 23.—The Pioneer Press's Winnipeg special says: "The loss of horses from severe weather on the ranges west of here is estimated at 30 per cent. In some districts, notably Cypress Hills, the loss is 50 per cent.

Alderman Cleary's Case.

NEW YORK, March 23.—The jury in the case of boodle Alderman Cleary, having failed to agree, was discharged this afternoon. Cleary renewed his bail of $40,000 pending further action by the District Attorney in his case.

Carter Harrison Declines.

CHICAGO, March 23.—Carter Harrison was nominated for Mayor by the Democrats this afternoon. Harrison appeared before the convention and positively declined the nomination for Mayor.

OMENS OF PEACE.

The Kaiser William Festival Bears Happy Fruits.

Europe Seemingly Banishes All Thoughts of War.

Queen Victoria Has a Hearty Reception at Birmingham.

Gladstone's Message to Editor Dana—Two Slaveships Captured by a British Cruiser—Frightful Explosion in an Australian Colliery—Foreign Notes.

By Telegraph to The Times.

BERLIN, March 23.—[By Cable and Associated Press.] Notwithstanding his fatigue the Emperor arose at his usual hour this morning and attended Prince Bismarck to all his duties. He is remarkably well. Prince Bismarck caught a chill on Monday evening while responding to the students. A heavy rain has been falling today, but it did not prevent crowds waiting to catch a glimpse of him going to and returning from the state banquet at the palace, to which all remaining guests in Berlin had been invited. The Emperor presided. The Queen of Roumelia recited a poem which she composed in the Emperor's honor. The Emperor was much gratified. Telegrams from every city in Germany show that the illuminations were not limited to Berlin. At Frankfort the display was especially fine. At Strasburg all public buildings and some private ones were illuminated. The Kaiser's expressions of belief in the maintenance of peace are everywhere the subject of comment. At Prince Bismarck's dinner it was the common topic of conversation. The general opinion is that the crisis is over and that a period of quiet is commencing. Prince Bismarck said to a foreign minister: "I rejoice on account of the Emperor's happy anniversary especially that the political horizon is now being cleared."

It is reported that the Grand Duke Vladimir told the Emperor that the Czar had authorized him to declare that he would continue to do all in his power to maintain the traditional policy of Russia, namely: a perfect understanding with Germany.

M. Flourens, French Minister of Foreign Affairs, in the name of President Grevy and the French Government, sent the Emperor congratulations.

Gen. Cordova, of Spain, and Gen. Sacarneirs, of Portugal, who came as special envoys to represent their respective governments, have been decorated with the cordon of the Order of the Red Eagle.

EMPEROR WILLIAM STILL CELEBRATING.

BERLIN, March 23.—This evening the Empress, Crown Prince and his family and royal visitors attended the performance of the ballet of *Sardanapalus* at the Opera-house. Between acts tea was served in the foyer, which was converted into a brilliant reception room.

Emperor William has conferred the first-class decoration of the Order of the Red Eagle on Dr. Laver, his physician.

The Prince of Wales visited Count Herbert Bismarck today. He will return to London on Sunday.

ST. PETERSBUG, March 23.—All the grand dukes, ministers, diplomats and court officials visited the German Embass yesterday to congratulate Gen. Von Schwenitz, the German embassodor, on Emperor William's birthday. In the evening, a banquet was given at the palace, to Von Schwenitz and Maj. Villaume.

ROME, March 23.—Emperor William telegraphed yesterday to the Pope, thanking him for his congratulation, and expressing a wish for the prosperity and happiness of His Holiness.

FOREIGN NOTES.

Loyal Britons Give the Queen an Enthusiastic Greeting.

BIRMINGHAM, March 23.—[By Cable and Associated Press.] The Queen visited Birmingham today, and laid the foundation stone of the Victoria Assize Court building. The weather was fine. Public buildings and private residences were decorated. The streets through which Her Majesty passed were spanned by triumphal arches, and were thronged with people. The reception given to the Queen was hearty and enthusiastic.

GLADSTONE TO DANA.

LONDON, March 23.—Gladstone cabled the following message to Charles A. Dana, at New York, in acknowledgment of the cable dispatch sent him by Dana, informing him of the indorsement of his Irish policy by the mass meeting of citizens, at Cooper Union, on Monday:

"I am very sensible of the value of the sympathy which from the first we have received from, I believe, a majority of the American people in our efforts to secure just measures of good government for Ireland, a sympathy which I feel sure will continue to attend us until this just policy shall attain its coming consummation."

THE CZAR'S UNRULY SUBJECTS.

BERLIN, March 23.—The police of St. Petersburg have discovered stores of dynamite and apparatus for the manufacture of bombs in several villas at Pargslevas, a summer resort in the suburbs of the Russian capital.

PARIS, March 23.—*Le Paris* publishes a telegram from Lemberg, the capital of Galicia, Austria, which says that on the 15th of March an attempt was made to upset a train conveying the Czar and Czarin to St. Petersburg on their return from a visit to the Grand Duke Vadimir.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 23.—It is reported that six persons were captured on Sunday in connection with the recent plot to assassinate the Czar, and that they were hanged on Monday. Degareff, the man who murdered Lieut.-Col. Sudeikyn, who was chief of police three years ago, and who was suspected of having been in a plot against the Czar's life, is said to have been one of the six.

SOMETHING LIKE COERCION.

DUBLIN, March 23.—Judge Boyd has granted a warrant for the arrest of Father Ryan, of the Herbertstown branch of the National League, for contempt of court in refusing to testify concerning his action as trustee for tenants under the plan of campaign. Warrants have also been issued for the arrest of a number of other persons in Herbertstown on the same charge.

SEVENTY MINERS KILLED.

LONDON, March 23.—An explosion, by which seventy miners were killed, occurred today in the Bulli colliery, at Sydney, New South Wales.

TWO SLAVERS CAPTURED.

LONDON, March 23.—Advices from Suakim state that the British warship Albacore captured two slavers with a cargo of sixty slaves, each going to Keddah.

EVICTION TROUBLES.

DUBLIN, March 23.—A number of tenants on the Shirley estate, at Carrickmacross, were evicted today. The evictions were attended with stirring scenes. The police, 150 in number, were met by a crowd of peasants with bands of music, and headed by the priests. A little opposition was met with until the police arrived at the cottages.

THE PHYLLOXERA.

Methods of Eradicating the Pest in French Vineyards.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—[By the Associated Press.] Consul Roosevelt, at Bordeaux, has submitted to the State Department his report on the wine harvest of France for 1886. It shows a decrease of 3,472,806 hectolitres from the preceding year and the quality of the vintage is mediocre and poor in alcoholic property, and Roosevelt says the causes mentioned as affecting the unfavorable yield have been accentuated by the continual development of phylloxera and mildew, two plagues that for several years have been steadily devastating the vineyards of France. Mildew is rapidly increasing everywhere. During the past year it appeared in two forms—mildew proper, or that which attacks the leaf, and that which attacks the grapes, drying the young fruit and thereby preventing its maturity. Many well-known and several new inventions to distribute insecticides for the extermination of these plagues have been tried, and, as far as applied, the most successful this season is the invention and property of an American, Rev. Walter L. Grimn, of Brooklyn, N. Y., who has invented an ingeniously contrived machine, so fitted and arranged as to apply and distribute a curative powder or liquid directly to the vines. Attached to the machines are two soft "sweeps," held by flexible springs, which, by rotation of the wheels, move in such a manner as to completely sweep all clinging insects from the vines, and, without injury to the plant, remove the bark where the winter egg is deposited, and at the same time distribute the insecticide directly on the spot where the egg is found.

WASHINGTON.

The Foreign Labor Law in Operation—Another Call for 3 per Cents—Some More California Postmasters.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—[By the Associated Press.] The act to amend the act to prohibit the importation and immigration of foreigners and aliens under contract or agreement to perform labor in the United States, which was approved February 23d, should, according to its provisions, have gone into effect today. The Acting Secretary of the Treasury, who is charged with the execution of this act, has not yet had an opportunity to prepare the regulations which will see to its proper enforcement. They are now, however, in the course of preparation, and will be issued in a few days. It is said at the department that the delay is caused by the difficulty experienced in reconciling the seemingly inconsistent provisions contained in the act.

CALLING IN MORE BONDS.

The Acting Secretary of the Treasury this afternoon issued the one hundred and forty-eighth call for the redemption of bonds. The call is for $10,000,000 of the loan of 1882, and notice is given that the principal and accrued interest of the bonds designated will be paid at the Treasury of the United States, in the city of Washington, on the first day of May, 1887, and that interest on said bonds will cease on that day.

THE INTERSTATE COMMISSION.

The Star tonight says: "Judge Cooley is to be president of the Interstate Commerce Commission, and this will accord with the wishes of the President in the matter."

NEW CALIFORNIA POSTMASTERS.

The following appointments of fourth-class postmasters have been made for California: D. S. Hartwell at Crescent City, Del Norte county, vice William H. Woodbury, removed; John B. Laue, McPherson, Los Angeles county, vice Evander B. Willis, resigned; Peter C. Wilder, Topaz, Mono county, vice Walter S. Wart, resigned.

A new postoffice has been established at Coronado, San Diego county, Cal., with Herbert Moser as postmaster. The post-office at Rockhouse, San Diego county, has been ordered removed to Winchester, a mile and a quarter from its former site.

MANNING'S SUCCESSOR.

It is learned on good authority that Secretary Manning's successor will not be appointed before April.

Given Up for Lost.

PHILADELPHIA, March 23.—The Italian bark Luzianic Serra, which sailed from Cardenas on July 24th for Philadelphia, has been given up for lost, together with Capt. Imperato and his crew of twelve men. She had on board a cargo of sugar valued at about $32,000, and the vessel herself was worth about $9000.

Vermont Trains Snow-bound.

ST. JOHNSBURY (Vt.), March 23.—A severe snow and wind storm prevailed last night. The trains on the Passumpsic Railroad are fast in a drift, and trains on the St. Johnsbury and Lake Champlain road are blocked.

SCIENTIFIC LECTURES.

T. C. Campell Speaks on the Origin of Man.

"The Origin of Man," a comparison of the theories of Darwin, Heckel and Huxley, with the theory of Moses with regard to man's origin, was the subject of a lecture given by T. C. Campbell, A.M., at the Christian Church, on Tuesday night.

Mr. Campbell is a pleasing speaker, logical and convincing, and knows how to present a scientific problem plainly, so as to be easily understood by a child.

The lecturer commenced by giving a blackboard analysis to illustrate the points of his lecture. 70—2x5x7. The prime factors of 70 are 2, 5 and 7, and there are no other prime factors; 2x3x5, the result is 30. These factors will always produce 30, and the result, 30, cannot be obtained if either of the factors be rejected. The most comprehensive analysis of man gives: History, Nature and Revelation. History—what man has said and done; Nature—what God has done; and Revelation—what God has said. These form all possible concepts of the mind. It is not possible for us to conceive of another factor entering into the problem.

In discussing history, geological and other evidence was produced to prove two facts: That man began to exist on the earth, and that his entrance was of recent date.

Under the second factor—Nature—the theories of Darwin, Heckel and Huxley were brought into review. A high tribute was paid to these for their invaluable contribution to science. It is only when they amuse themselves with a theory hung upon some point or angle in their geological, botanical or zoölogical system, attempting to suppress one of the essential factors in man, ignoring it entirely or replacing it by the unknowable that they become the just subjects of criticism, and are entitled to no more respect than other theorists.

In speaking of Mr. Darwin's assumption of the possibility of passing from one species to another, by development and differentiation, the speaker affirmed that there is not a single fact in nature to sustain it. We are without an example of such transition, not only in the living flora and fauna of the earth, but also in the geological record of the past.

Under the third factor—Revelation—the theory of Moses was placed side by side with the others, and its points of superiority shown.

Tonight another lecture will be given on the subject of "Death."

RISING RIVERS.

Great Suffering Reported in Dakota.

Terrible Experiences of Residents of the Flooded Districts.

Belief that Many Persons Have Been Drowned or Frozen.

The Missouri River and Its Tributaries Still Rising—What Old Army Officers Say of the Situation—The Great Gorge Still Unbroken.

By Telegraph to The Times.

ST. PAUL (Minn.), March 23—[By the Associated Press.] The Northern Pacific resumed through business to-day. Telegraphic information was received at headquarters today that the steamer Helena had been secured, and that transfers of all passengers, baggage, express and mails would be made between Bismarck and Rock Haven. From Mandan to Rock Haven is three miles, which will be overcome by teams. Large numbers of passengers who had been detained in St. Paul on account of the flood leave this afternoon, and the road issued instructions to all agents that the line is open for travel again. The ice gorge in the river above Bismarck remains solid, but is expected to break soon.

FLOODS AT BOULDER.

The Pioneer Press's special from Boulder, Dak., says: "The water has backed into Swain Creek, and carried off the bridge between Lebean and Scranton, and flooded the bottom lands eight feet deep. It is believed that several Indians have been drowned. The family of Garrett Berry barely escaped with their lives and the loss of cattle and household effects. The steamer Gen. Tompkins is in the ice a total wreck. The Missouri River is rapidly rising."

THE SITUATION AT MANDAN.

A Mandan (Dak.) special to the Pioneer Press says: "The water fell two feet today. Heart River has not yet broken, but most of the water has passed under the ice, so no damage is anticipated. Aside from the railroad's loss, the damage by the flood is not over $1000."

SOME TERRIBLE EXPERIENCES.

ST. PAUL (Minn.), March 23.—A special to the Pioneer Press from Bismarck says: "All attempts to break the Sibley Island gorge by dynamite are unavailing. A man was seen floating down the river on a cake of ice frantically calling for help, but it was impossible to assist him. Twelve families living at Livonia had a most terrible experience. After being on their roofs twenty-four hours a thin coat of ice formed over the river and on this they walked to the shore, distant two miles, some breaking through several times, but being rescued.

"Fort Lincoln army officers here are still of the opinion that the people opposite the fort, on the lowlands, south of the city, perished in the flood. This belief is becoming prevalent, and as the reports come in from remote river districts the story of suffering and loss of life is intensified."

STEWART'S COLLECTION.

The Millionaire's Paintings Put Up at Auction.

NEW YORK, March 23.—[By the Associated Press.] The sale of the collection of works of art owned by the late A. T. Stewart commenced tonight at Chickering Hall. Every seat in the house was filled with well-known bankers, merchants and society women. The prices received were fair, according to the statement of dealers who were present. There were a number of pictures which went at a sacrifice. This was especially so in the case of the picture printed by Schussler, of Philadelphia, entitled, "Washington Irving and His Friends." This cost A. T. Stewart $8000, and was sold for $1650. Among the more notable sales were "The Confab," by Eastman Johnson, of New York, for $1025 to M. G. Polk; "Papa's Coming," by Thomas Fard, to J. S. Kennedy, for $2100. "The Chariot Race," by Jean Lean Gerome, of Paris, attracted considerable attention. This was one of the most valuable paintings in the Stewart collection, and was painted expressly for Stewart by the famous French artist, at a cost of $30,000. The first bid was $5000, and it was at last purchased by Henry Hilton for $7100. "Charity," by Meissonier, the notable painting for which Mr. Stewart paid $20,000, was started at $10,000, and bought by Henry Hilton for $10,500. "Hamlet and Ophelia," by Hughes, and "Medea," were bought by Knodler & Co. for $2100. "Blind Man's Buff," by Baugniet, was purchased by Hilton for $2800. "Niagara in Winter," by George Johnson, went to Charles Bark for $10,500; "Lear Wakening from Insanity," by Hildebrandt, to D. A. Powers, of Rochester, N. Y., for $1000; "Lady Washington's Reception," by Daniel Huntington, to L. A. Fish, for $3300. "Thunsneida at the Triumphal Entry," by Pelotty, original cost $12,000, was bought by Henry Hilton for $3900. "Homer et son Guide," by Bougheran, was sold for $5200 to Fred Layton. "Niagara Falls from the American Side," by Frederick S. Church, started at $25,00, and the bidding was brisk to $7000, when J. S. Kennedy took the picture at $7050. The "Seal Rock at San Francisco," by Albert Bierstadt, went to Charles Lockhart for $2500. "Loch Lomond," by the two artists Varboeckhoven and Raffian, was sold to Mr. Richard for $2325; "The Serious Book," by Toulmanche, to J. H. Converse for $2150. "Cattle," by Constantine Tryon, of Paris, was started at $2000. The second bid was $6000, and it was finally sold to D. C. Lyle for $7150.

THE WEATHER.

Synopsis for the Past Twenty-four Hours—Indications.

LOS ANGELES SIGNAL OFFICE, March 23.—At 4:07 a.m. today the thermometer registered 62; at 12:07 p.m., 82; at 7:07 p.m., 66. Barometer for corresponding periods, 30.07, 30.07, 30.00. Maximum temperature, 84.0; minimum temperature, 52.0. Weather, clear.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—8 p.m. Indications for twenty-four hours commencing 4 a.m., March 24th: California—light local rains, northern portion; fair weather, southern portion.

High License in New York.

ALBANY (N. Y.), March 23.—The Crosby High License Bill has been passed—70 to 56.

To apply the word "crank" to a person, according to a Judge in the United States District Court at Chicago, is not in itself defamation of character and does not necessarily furnish grounds for action. If the word was used in a defamatory sense it would then give cause for action, but such sense must be given it by appropriate allegation or innuendo. The suit in question referred to a statement in a paper that a certain pamphlet was "the work of a crank."

The New York Sun thinks Mr. Cleveland's progress in political education has almost equaled the quickness of his rise in public life. He knew how to whip Democrats into line on the Pension Bill.

BUSINESS TOPICS.

The Tehachipa Building Stone Company Have placed 10,000 shares of treasury stock on the market, to erect steam works for sawing dimension stone, tiles, marble mantles, etc. Quarries now in operation to supply orders received for gray marble and sandstone. Parties wishing to subscribe for any of said shares address The Tehachipa Building Stone Company, postoffice box 138, Los Angeles, for prospectus and particulars.

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LEXINGTON.

THE RICH NEW VENTURA COUNTY MINING CAMP.

A "Times" Correspondent Visits It and Describes the Mines—A Rich and as Yet Uncrowded Field—The Lucky Prospectors.

LEXINGTON (Cal.), March 20.—[Special Correspondence of THE TIMES.] The camp is becoming lively, and prospectors are arriving every day. Some snow is left, but you can't come here with a wagon for ten days yet. Walking is good, if you want to tackle it.

R. B. Harper, a well-known mining expert, second to no one in the State, has been here for the past week in the interest of a strong company. Capitalists are awaiting his decision eagerly. He has purchased the Esperanza mine, and is negotiating for another. He will leave for San Francisco in a day or two to purchase a stamp-mill and hoisting works.

The Esperanza carries free-milling ore which assays $65 or $70 per ton. One mine in camp is sufficient to have a lively camp. Lots of country is not yet located. There is a good chance for a tenderfoot or anybody else.

The Brown mine, owned by Menzies, Wilhoit & Babb, has a ledge traceable for three locations. There is a 75-foot tunnel. The face is full of rich free-milling ore. There is a 68-foot shaft. The ledge stripped for 1500 feet. One thousand tons of ore are on the dump.

The same parties own the Golconda, a 30-foot vein of silver and gold, with a 150-foot tunnel.

The Gen. Lee, silver and gold, has a 75-foot tunnel.

The Double Standard is on a 3-foot ledge of rich ore which assays "way up."

Smith & Grover have five locations, with millsite adjacent to all.

The Exchange is on a 42-foot ledge, with a 9-foot vein of gray copper ore running $4.25 per ton in a 10-foot shaft. There is also a 160-foot tunnel, with a 60-foot shaft at the head that contains a 5-foot vein of iron sulphurets, running high in gold.

The Matchless is on a 9-foot vein, running $42 in gold.

The Carbonate Prince has a 4-foot ledge and nine smaller ones in 400 feet.

The Carbonate Queen is on a vein of carbonate ore, very rich.

The Carbonate King has three pay streaks; the first, a green, bromide vein of 13 inches; the second, a vein of lead carbonates, 18 inches wide; the third, a 9-foot pay streak rich in gold and silver.

The Castac mine is owned by Hall & Frazier. A 7-stamp mill is now running. They are 800 tons of ore on the dump and it is a very rich mine.

Capt. Kolle and Capt. More have a very rich prospect with a 20-foot tunnel.

William Aram has several ledges assaying from $8 to $150 in gold and silver.

DeMoss Bowers has a rich prospect in the Annie and Silver King claims.

Placer mining is averaging $5 per day for each man. Stores, a restaurant, grocery, etc., will soon be erected. B.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

He "Deniges of It."

MONROVIA (Cal.), March 21.—[To the Editor of THE TIMES.] Whoever informed you of the proceedings of the Monrovia temperance meeting on the 18th inst. is grossly misinformed. The Sunday paper states that I said the worst gambling-place and saloon in town was at the hotel, and that this gambling-hell ought to be the first to make war on. All this I flatly deny. I said no such words, and your informant does not speak the truth. All I did say was that I had seen as much drinking at the hotel as I had seen at any other place in town, and it had as much right to be stopped as any other place. WILLIAM SINCLAIR.

Not a Sparkling Secretary.

LOS ANGELES, March 23.—[To the Editor of THE TIMES.] DEAR SIR: I observe that I am still published as secretary of the Dry Sparkling Champagne Manufacturing Company. Please take my name out, as I no longer officiate in that capacity.

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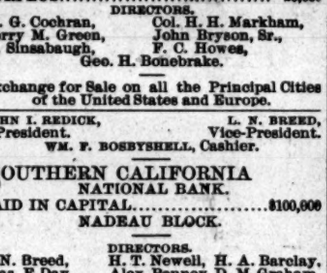

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The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Highland Park Water Company, for the election of directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of other business, will be held at the office of the company, room 8, Moore building, Court st., Los Angeles, at 2 o'clock p.m., Monday, April 4, 1887. By order
A. POLSON, Secretary.
Los Angeles, March 9, 1887.

Legal.

Administrator's Notice of Sale of Real Estate.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of the county of Los Angeles, State of California, made on the 21st day of February, 1887, in the matter of the estate of Henry Chambers, deceased, the undersigned, the administrator, with the will annexed of said estate, will sell at PRIVATE SALE, to the highest bidder for cash, gold coin of the United States, and subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, on

SATURDAY, THE 9TH DAY OF APRIL, 1887,

And on each and every day thereafter upon which sales may lawfully be made, for the period of six months, or until the hereinafter described property shall have been sold, all the right, title, interest and estate of the said Henry Chambers, at the time of his death, and all the right, title and interest that the said, by operation of law or otherwise, acquired, other than or in addition to that of the said Henry Chambers at the time of his death, in and to all those certain lots, peices or parcels of land situate in Los Angeles county, State of California, and severally particularly described as follows, to wit:

First—All that portion of section 17, township 2 S., range 13 W., San Bernardino meridian, which commences at a stake in the southwest corner of the tract here described, which stake is at the intersection of the public road that bounds the Tajauta Rancho on the south with the public road that bounds the lands of the estate of Henry Chambers, deceased, on the west, and running thence north 78¼ rods to a stake at the southwest corner of the larger tract of land belonging to the said estate; thence easterly along the line of said larger, or 50-acre tract, of said estate, 21¼ rods to a point in said line, thence south 75¼ rods to a stake in the line of said Tajauta road, thence west along the northerly line of said road 21¼ rods to the place of beginning, containing 10 acres of unimproved land.

Second—All that other certain tract of land in said section 17, township 3 S, range 13 W. San Bernardino meridian, which begins at the northeast corner of the 10-acre tract last above described [here designated for reference as tract No. 1 of this decree] and running thence east by the prolongation of the northerly line of said tract No. 1, 70 rods to a stake, thence south at right angles 11½ rods to a stake in the north line of the land of Howard; thence west along the line of Howard's land 70 rods to a stake in the east line of said tract No. 1; thence northerly along said east line 11½ rods to the place of beginning, containing 5 acres of unimproved land.

Bids for either and for both said tracts will be received by the said administrator with the will annexed, at the office of P. W. Dooner, attorney at law, rooms (south) Nos. 4 and 8, Downey block, Main st., Los Angeles city, California.

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A. J. BRAN,
Administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Henry Chambers, deceased.

Notice for Publication of Time for Proving Will, Etc.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT, State of California, county of Los Angeles —ss. In the matter of the estate of Joseph A. Dodge, deceased.

Pursuant to an order of this court, made this day, Notice is hereby given that MONDAY, the 28th day of March, 1887, at 10 o'clock a.m. of said day, at the courtroom of this court, in the county of Los Angeles, has been appointed for hearing the application of Mary A. Dodge, praying that a document now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of Joseph A. Dodge, deceased, be admitted to probate, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to said Mary A. Dodge, at which time and place all persons interested therein may appear and contest the same.

Dated March 16, 1887.
CHAS. H. DUNSMOOR, County Clerk.
By F. B. FANNING, Deputy.

Proposals.

Proposals for a U. S. Government Building Site.

DEPUTY COLLECTOR OF INternal Revenue, Los Angeles, Cal., March 18, 1887.

Sealed proposals will be received at this office until 12 o'clock, noon, on the 18th day of April, 1887, for the sale of property suitable as a site for a public building, authorized to be erected in this city.

The dimensions of the lot should approximate, if a corner lot, not less than one hundred and fifty (150) by one hundred and ten (110) feet; if not a corner lot, the dimensions should be not less than one hundred and ninety (190) by one hundred and ten feet (110); the one hundred and ninety feet (190) to be street frontage. If alleys abut on either side, the width of such alleys can be deducted from the above dimensions. Buildings on property selected to be retained and removed by the owner. The department reserves the right to reject all proposals.

Proposals should be marked "Proposals for sale of property for a site for a public building to be erected at Los Angeles, Cal.," and addressed to E. D. GIBSON, Dep. Col. Int. Rev., 108 N. Main st., room 4.

NOTICE TO GRADERS.—BIDS will be received at my office until March 25, at 4 p.m., for the removal of 160,000 cubic yards of earth from the west side of New High st., from the Johnston Mansion to the Kimball Mansion, inclusive. About 25,000 cubic yards to be delivered on the Beaudry Water Works tract, on Alameda st., and the balance to be disposed of by the contractor as he may desire. All earth to be measured by excavation.

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BUSINESS.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES, Los Angeles, Wednesday, March 23.

Wheat and Barley are firmly steady, but there is not much activity in either.

The report of George Morrow & Co., of San Francisco, has the following on the Hay market:

"Receipts continue heavy, aggregating 9711 tons for the week, mostly of poor quality. The market is weak and very sluggish; sales are made slowly at shaded rates. We quote choice Wheat, $12@13; No. 1 Wheat, $10.50@11.50; good, $9@10; fair, $7.50@8.50; Wild Oats, $8@11; Tame Oats, $8.50@9.50; Barley, $7@10; Clover, $7.50@9.50; Alfalfa, $8@9; compressed Hay, $8.50@12.50; Straw, 40@50c."

Relative to the distribution and consumption of Corn and Wheat throughout the country, the Department of Agriculture gives out the following information as derived from its agent in California:

"No Corn is sold outside of the State, and but little from one county to another. It is not a staple crop, as the summers generally are not warm enough, and only a few southern counties grow it as such. Although California still produces a large quantity of excellent Wheat, many of the former Wheat fields are turned into vineyards and orchards every year, and the production of cereals is not increasing, but rather decreasing, while vineyards and orchards take their place. The season, though the annual rains came late, has generally been favorable to the farmer, and the copious showers of last month have insured a propitious season. "We can, therefore, confidently expect abundant crops of all our leading staples."

Stocks and Bonds.

By Telegraph to The Times.

NEW YORK, March 23.—Money on call easy at 2½@6; last loan 3½; closed at 3.

Prime paper, 5@6.

Sterling exchange, fairly active and firm at 4.84½ for 60 days; 4.86½ for demand.

Government bonds were dull and steady to firm.

The speculative situation continues without change, and the dullness was intensified today, though the general tone of the market remains firm. The opening was steady, prices being either unchanged or showing change of insignificant fractions only from last night's final figures. A movement in Grangers took place, but after that time there was nothing to break the monotony, and the market continued dull but firm to the close. The net result of the day's business is that prices in the active list are irregularly changed, though the gains and losses are for fractions only, except Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburgh, which lost 1¼ and Coal and Iron 1 per cent.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

		NEW YORK, March 23.	
3 per cents	100½	Or. Navigation	99
*4 per cents	127½	Transcontinental	31⅞
*4½ per cents	129½	Improvement	38½
Central Pacific	37⅛	Pacific Mail	54½
Kansas & Texas	31	Texas Pacific	28½
Northern Pacific	27⅝	Union Pacific	57⅝
N. P. preferred	58⅜	United States	62
Northwestern	117⅜	Fargo	28
N.Y.Central	111⅜	Western Union	75¾

*Coupon.

SAN FRANCISCO STOCKS.

		SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.	
Best & Belcher	8 75	Potosi	7 50
Crocker	80	Ophir	9 37½
Challar	6 50	Savage	5 75
Consolidat'd Va.	15 75	Sierra Nevada	4 30
Confidence	11 50	Union Con	3 65
Gould & Curry	4 70	Yellow Jacket	4 70
Hale & N	4 90	Mt. Diablo	4 25
Peer	40	*Manhattan	1 00
Peerless	50		

*Assessed.

NEW YORK, March 23.—Bar silver per ounce, 97½c.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—Silver bars per cent. discount, 2@2½.

The Grain Markets.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—Wheat: Dull and steady; shipping, $1.60@1.62½. Barley: Quiet and steady; feed, $1.05@1.07½; brewing, dull, $1.10@1.12½. Corn: Quiet; California large yellow, 97½c@$1.02½; small, $1.07½@1.10; white, $1.05@1.12½.

CHICAGO, March 23.—1 p.m.—Wheat: Steady; cash, 75¾@78c; May, 81¼c. June, 80½c. Corn: Firm; cash, 34⅝@37c; May, 39¾; June, 40⅝c.

CHICAGO, March 23.—Close—Wheat: Easy; cash, 75⅝c; May, 81½c; June, 80 5-16c. Corn: Unchanged. Barley: Steady at 50½c.

Petroleum.

NEW YORK, March 23.—Petroleum was dull. The market opened at 63½c; highest, 63¾c; lowest, 62½c; closed at 62¾c. Sales, 737,000 bbls.

Los Angeles Produce Market.

The following is the official record of the Los Angeles Produce Exchange, corrected daily. In the quotations, unless otherwise stated, it is to be understood that the first figure is the highest price bid and the last the lowest price asked. These quotations are for round lots from first hands; for small lots out of store higher prices are asked.

RYE—Rye, No. 1, $1 50 asked.

WHEAT—Australian, No. 1 white, $1 65 asked; Gold Drop, $1 15@1 30; white Russian, $1 60 asked.

BARLEY—Feed, No. 1, 90c@$1 05.

SEED—Alfalfa, new, $11 00 asked.

HAY—Barley, W. B., No 1, $14 50 asked; Mixed Hay, $18 00 asked; Alfalfa, W. B., new, $14 00 asked; Wheat, W. B. Northern, $18 50 asked; Oat, R. B., $17 00 asked.

BEANS AND DRIED PEAS—Bayous, $2 05 asked; Pink, No. 1, new crop, $1 80@1 90; Navy, small, $2 25 asked; Black-eyed, $1 00 asked; Limas, $2 75@3 50; Garvancos, $3 00 asked; Red Spanish, $2 00 asked; Green Field Peas, $3 00 asked; Lentils, $3 00 asked.

EGGS—Fresh, 14@16c.

POULTRY—Hens, No. 1, per doz, $7 00@8 00; old roosters, $5 00 bid; young Roosters, $7 00 bid; broilers, large, $5 00; small, $4 00 bid. Ducks, large, $7 50 bid; small, $6 50 bid. Turkeys, 18c asked.

MILLFEED—Bran, $21 00 asked; Shorts, $23 00 asked; Cracked Corn, $1 15 asked; Cracked Barley, $1 15 asked; Ground Barley, $1 15 asked; Rolled Barley, $1 15 asked; Mixed Feed, Corn and Barley, $1 25 asked.

BUTTER—Fancy roll, per lb, 22c asked; Choice roll, 21c asked; Fair roll, 20c asked; Choice Perkin, 15c asked; Pickle roll, per lb, 15c asked; Cooking 15c asked; Mixed Store, 12½c asked.

CHEESE—Large, 14c asked; small, 15c asked.

FLOUR—Los Angeles XXXX, Extra Family Patent Rolled Flour, ——; Capitol Mills Extra Family Patent Rolled Flour, ——; Pioneer or Crown, $5 25 asked.

CORN—Large yellow, car-load lots, 85@90c bid; do. small, yellow, 90c@$1 05; white, $1 05 asked.

POTATOES—Oregon Burbanks, $2 25 asked; Nashonics, $2 25 asked; Early Rose, Northern, choice, $2 25 asked; Early Rose, Northern, seed, $1.75 asked; Irish Beauties, $2 25 asked; Peerless, $2 00 asked; Peachblows, $2 25 asked; Humboldts, $2 00 asked; Sweet Potatoes, white and red, $2 00@2 50; yellow, $2 50 bid.

ONIONS—Northern Yellow Danvers, $3 50 asked.

DRIED FRUIT—Peaches, sun dried, No. 1, 10c; do No. 2, 7½c; do peeled, 15c; do No. 2, 12c; Pitted Plums, 12½c asked; Blackberries, 12½c; Prunes, Cals. French, new crop, 7½@10c bid; do. German, 7c; Apricots, evaporated, 25c. Apples: Evaporated, 11c asked; Hunt's Alden, 14c; sun-dried sliced, 5c.

HONEY—Extracted light, 4@4½c; job lots, 5c. asked; Amber, 3c bid; Comb, 10@12c. bid.

BEESWAX—Beeswax, 17@19c.

VEGETABLES, MIXED—Chilies, 12c asked per lb; Garlic, 6@8c; Cabbage, per 100 lbs, $1 00@1 50.

GRAIN BAGS—M. S. 22x30, 6¼c, asked; Mill Sacks, 5c. asked; 1886 Calcutta spot, 6¼c; Potatoe Sacks, 3c, asked.

LIVE STOCK—Live hogs, 3@4c.

RAISINS—Layers, $1 50 asked; Extra London layers, new $1 75 asked; Three Crown layers, new, $1 75 asked; Loose Muscatels $1 50; Bulk raisins, 5c asked; Dried Grapes 3c, asked.

NUTS—Peanuts Cala. No. 1, 6c asked; do Cala. No. 2, 3c asked; do Eastern, 7½c asked; Almonds, S. S., 18c asked; do H. S., 10c asked; Walnuts, new, 11@15c.

CITRUS FRUITS—Oranges, $1 75 asked; Lemons, seedling, per box, $2 00 asked; Eureka and Lisbon, $3 50 asked; Limes, $1 25 asked.

PROVISIONS—Extra light bacon, 11c asked; Light, 10c asked; Clear Medium, 10c asked; Medium, 9c asked. Heavy, No. 1, 8c asked.

WOOL—Spring clip, 8@10c, bid.

SKINS—Short wool, each, 15@30c, bid; Long Wool, $1 00, bid; Shearlings, 10c, bid.

HIDES—Dry, 16c, bid; Kip, 15c, bid; Calf, 12½c, bid.

HAMS—Eastern sugar-cured, 15c asked; California, 12c asked.

Real Estate Transfers.

[Reported by the Abstract and Title Insurance Company.]

WEDNESDAY, March 23, 1887.

CONVEYANCES.

[Only those transfers of $1000 and over are specified below. Those below $1000 are summarized at the end of the list.]

Sarah A Weingarth to John Ellis, George D Patten and Charles C Patten: Undivided ¼ interest in tract on S side of Mountain avenue, in S G O G Association lands, Ro San Pascual, $6000.

Henry Turner to Jeremiah Clay: Property described in book 103, page 159, of deeds, $6000.

P T Durfy to Walter Henry Wren: Lot 15, Vawter's subdivision of blocks 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13, Lucas tract, $1000.

H P Stone, C N Frazier and Milton Frazier to Henry C Lewis: Lots 11, 12 and 13, block C, and S 12½ feet of lots 2, 3 and 4, block C, Ogre and Bond's subdivision, Ro Santiago de Santa Ana, $6000.

Florin L Jones to Harry H Carney: Lot 7, Byron O and Mary E Clark's subdivision, Pasadena, $1700.

W B Lawson to John R Tarrant and B G Thurman: Lot 3, block B, A B Chapman tract, Ro Santiago de Santa Ana, $9500.

Persis M Stowell to L H Green: Lot D, block 2, Monrovia tract, $5500.

Thomas Canavan to Alfred Todhunter: S ½ of SE ¼ of section 19, township 3 S, range 11 W, $6000.

Pascal Ballade and Juan Itzaina to Jean Officialdeguy: Lots 11, 12 and 13, block A, Regina tract, $1900.

J M Guinn to J Otto Koepfli: Agreement to convey lot 35, Mills subdivision of west part of Lick tract, $5000.

S D Bryant and H L Bryant to S W Osterhout: 11 acres in Grogan tract, Pasadena, $4011.

A E Potter and B F Maxon to Lauren F Loomis: Agreement to convey N E 10 acres of 70.19 acres conveyed by Silas Ritchey, December 2, 1886, $1510.

Charles Haskell to Farmers' Union, a corporation: Assignment of agreement to convey block M, Painter & Balls' addition to Pasadena.

Charles Haskell and Sadie Haskell to same: Lot 17, block 4, Brooklyn tract, $1000.

W L Carter and C H Frost to S H Doolittle: Agreement to convey lot 9, subdivision of lot 1, block H, San Pascual tract, $9500.

Estate and guardianship of Donald C Hewitt, a minor: Order confirming sale of property described, 11 acres in Rancho San José to James M Fryer.

Alhambra Addition Water Company to Frederick F Buell: Agreement to supply water to lot 11, range 12, Alhambra addition tract.

Miss S Frances Crandall to Mrs Mary J Hathaway: Lots 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 22 and 23, block B, Los Angeles Improvement Company's subdivision of part of lots 4 and 5, block 39, H S, $1400.

Edward Records to R Verch: Lot 18, subdivision of lot 4, block 1, H S, $1500.

J E Fulton to R C Flournoy: Lot 5, Feladauser's subdivision of block 85, O S, $2600.

Jos H Marshall to Ezra I Tolle: Lot 21, block 1, Yarnell's subdivision of NE part of lot 4, block 38, H S, $3000.

Andrew Lord to Elizabeth Holmes: Agreement to convey lot 17, Snyder & Wade's subdivision of N ½ of Friend tract, $1450.

H L Flash to Mrs Esther C Shugg: lot 5, block 3, Los Angeles Homestead tract, $2700.

E F Spence to W H Fletcher, F E Twombly and F L Randall: Agreement to convey lot A, block 17, addition No 2 to Monrovia tract, $2238.50.

H D Bacon to J D Bethune and Harry G Stephens: Lot 18, block B, Marengo tract, $9520.

J D Bethune to H M Russell, Ernest A Cox and M C Brandt: Undivided ½ interest in lot 18, block B, Marengo tract, $5500.

Ellen Louise Baxter and Edwin Baxter to Emily Verch: Lots 19 and 20, L N Breed's subdivision of lot 1, Matthews & Fickett tract, $1000.

Sarah W Coombs and Ennis Coombs to Henry C Douglas and Jennie D Douglas: Lot 13, block 16, East Los Angeles, $2200.

Clarence J Richards to C L Fisher: Lot 45, subdivision of lot 4, block 1, H S, $1300.

Southern Pacific Railroad Company, D O Mills and Gerrit L Lansing, trustees, to Jennie L Wicks: Fractional section 31, township 7 N, range 13 W, $1597.

A Moss Merwin to M S Daniels: Lot on W line of Fair Oaks avenue, Pasadena, $1050.

Mrs S Scott to William H Bonsall: Agreement to convey vineyard lot A2, Anaheim, $3150.

Same to same: Agreement to convey lot 44, Anaheim extension, $3850.

A O Porter to Marius S Daniels: Lot 16, A O Porter's subdivision of part of Porter & Green tract, Pasadena, $2178.

E C Webster to James Barker: Part of lot 18, Washburn's subdivision of lot 8, division C, Berry & Elliott tract, Pasadena, $6000.

C H Dunsmoor to W A Dunbar and O J Muchmore: Agreement to convey part of lot 10, block D, San Pascual tract, $5000.

Mrs Lizzie Wallace and James L Wallace to O A Wheeler: Lots 15, 16, 20 and 23, block 2, Bennett tract, $1600.

Raymond Holmes and Selina E Holmes to F L Goldsworthy: Assignment of agreement to convey from John Dietrich and Sophia A Dietrich, dated December 4, 1886.

Evan Harer to Hiram McComas: 60 acres in SE ¼ of section 19, township 1 N, range 9 W, $1750.

E F Spence, J F Crank and John D Bicknell to J M Studebaker: Lot B, block 13, Monrovia tract, $1624.

John M Thomas to same: Lot A, block 13, Monrovia tract, $350.

Martha P Wagstaff to A B Bronson: Lot 7, block B, Beaches' subdivision of lots 4, 5, 6 and 7, Griffins addition, East Los Angeles, $2000.

Orlando Salathiel Winstanley to John Murphy: Lot F, block 122, Santa Monica, $1700.

Joseph Wallace to Samuel Bundy and L A Evans: Lot 7, Legge tract, Pasadena, $5000.

Margaret A Hillard and F S Hillard to May Stanley Senter and Adelaide C Stanley: Agreement to convey lot 20, Ro La Cañada, lots 1 and 2, NW ¼ section 35, township 2 N, range 13 W, part of SE ¼ of SW ¼ section 26, township 2 N, range 13 W, $17,000.

Charles L Berry to G Salzman, Charles Dillman and G H Bleblitz: Agreement to convey lot 17, T Banburys's subdivision of lot 12, and part of lot 9, block H, San Pascual tract, $1750.

Same to same: Agreement to convey lots 20 and 21, Wood & Banburys's subdivision of S ½ of lot 5, block H, San Pascual tract, $2750.

W H Pierce to Percy R Wilson: Lot 13, Schieffelin tract, $1000.

W H Tuthill to same: Lot 12, Schieffelin tract, $1000.

Adelph Foyen to same: Lot 14, Schieffelin tract, $1000.

Percy R Wilson to W H Pierce: Part of lots 12, 13 and 14, Schieffelin tract, $1000.

Percy R Wilson to Adolph Foyen: Part of lots 12, 13 and 14, Schieffelin tract, $1000.

Percy R Wilson to W H Tuthill: Part of lots 12, 13 and 14, Schieffelin tract, $1000.

Aaron Smith and D M True to L R Mosher: Lots 9 and 10, block B, Toppan's subdivision of part of lot 4, block 39, H S, $1000.

L E Mosher to William H Harper: Same as above, $1000.

Isaac Abila de Cota and Manuel Cota to John P Moran: 6.75 acres, probably in Ro San Rafael, $16,875.

Victor Beaudry, Everett E Hall and W W Stilson to William A Spalding: Lot 8, block 24, Angeleño Heights, $1500.

J B Pierce to N J Paschall: N ½ of lot 28, Anaheim extension, $1500.

Same to Mrs Fannie Paschall, wife of N J Paschall: S ½ of lot 28, Anaheim extension, $1500.

SUMMARY.

Number of transfers in above list	43
Total amount of consideration	$151,614
Number of transfers under $1000 each	26
Total amount of consideration	$11,145
Transfers for nominal consideration	37
Aggregate of the day's transfers	$162,796

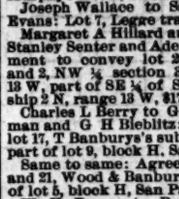
DEATHS.

REBBECK—In this city, Mrs. Lydia Rebbeck, a native of England, aged 62 years.

The funeral will take place Friday, March 25th, at 10 a.m., from No. 260 South Los Angeles street. Friends of the family are invited to attend without further notice.

Unclassified.

RED CLOVER.



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Times of Travel.

LOS ANGELES & SAN GABRIEL VALLEY RAILWAY.

Time table, in effect Nov. 5, 1886. Trains leave and are due to arrive at Downey Avenue Depot as follows:

Depart.		Arrive
* 9:21 a.m.	ON	* 7:54 a.m.
†10:36 a.m.	WEEK DAYS ONLY.	† 8:54 a.m.
‡ 2:26 p.m.		*12:04 p.m.
† 4:16 p.m.		† 1:39 p.m.
* 5:36 p.m.		‡ 4:54 p.m.
*11:06 p.m.	Theater Train—Tuesd'y, Thursd'y, Saturd'y	* 7:24 p.m.
†10:36 a.m.	ON	† 8:54 a.m.
† 5:46 p.m.	SUNDAYS ONLY.	† 4:39 p.m.

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† To and from Duarte.
‡ To and from West Duarte (Monrovia).

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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 1887.

Trains leave and are due to arrive at Los Angeles daily as follows:

Leave For.	Destination.	Arrive	From
8:00 a.m.	Colton & San Gorgonio	7:00	p.m.
4:20 p.m.	Colton & San Gorgonio	4:25	a.m.
8:00 a.m.	...Beming and East...	7:00	p.m.
8:00 a.m.	...El Paso and East...	7:00	p.m.
1:30 p.m.	San Fran & Sac'mento	11:40	a.m.
7:30 p.m.	San Fran & Sac'mento	7:20	a.m.
9:20 a.m.	Santa Ana & Anaheim	3:45	p.m.
4:40 p.m.	Santa Ana & Anaheim	7:45	a.m.
9:30 a.m.	.....Santa Monica.....	11:50	a.m.
12:30 p.m.	.....Santa Monica.....	4:00	p.m.
4:30 p.m.	.....Santa Monica.....	7:50	a.m.
9:40 a.m.	Long Beach & S. Pedro	4:25	p.m.
4:50 p.m.	Long Beach & S. Pedro	7:55	a.m.
9:15 a.m.	.....Santa Paula.....	4:00	p.m.

A theater train leaves Santa Monica every Thursday evening.

A change has taken place in the receipt and dispatch of mails on line of railway, Los Angeles and San Pedro branch. Hereafter mails will be dispatched to Florence, Compton, Long Beach, Wilmington and San Pedro daily on train leaving Los Angeles at 9:30 a.m., and received at 5:15 p.m. T. H. GOODMAN, General Passenger and Ticket Agent.
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SOUTHERN ROUTES.

TIME TABLE FOR MARCH, 1887.

Steamers.	Coming South. Leave San Francisco.	Coming South. Arrive San Pedro.	Going North. Leave San Pedro.	Going North. Arrive San Francisco.
Santa Rosa	Feb. 26	Feb. 28	Mar. 2	Mar. 4
Los Angeles	" 28	Mar. 2	" 3	" 6
Queen of Pac.	Mar. 2	" 4	" 6	" 8
Eureka	" 4	" 6	" 7	" 10
Santa Rosa	" 6	" 8	" 10	" 12
Los Angeles	" 8	" 10	" 11	" 14
Queen of Pac.	" 10	" 12	" 14	" 16
Eureka	" 12	" 14	" 15	" 18
Santa Rosa	" 14	" 16	" 18	" 20
Los Angeles	" 16	" 18	" 19	" 22
Queen of Pac.	" 18	" 20	" 22	" 24
Eureka	" 20	" 22	" 23	" 26
Santa Rosa	" 22	" 24	" 26	" 28
Los Angeles	" 24	" 26	" 27	" 30
Queen of Pac.	" 26	" 28	" 30	April 1
Eureka	" 28	" 30	" 31	" 3
Santa Rosa	" 30	April 1	April 3	" 5
Los Angeles	April 1	" 3	" 4	" 7

The steamers Santa Rosa, and Queen of Pacific leave San Pedro for San Diego on the dates of their arrivals from San Francisco, and on their trips between San Pedro and San Francisco call at Santa Barbara and Port Harford (San Luis Obispo) only. The Eureka and Los Angeles call at all way ports.

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TIME TABLE.

(Taking effect Sunday, November 14th.)

	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Los Angeles.....Leave	7.00	9.10	5.00
San Gabriel	7.23	9.29	5.20
Pomona	8.23	10.30	6.10
Colton.....Arrive	9.15	11.20	*7.00
Colton.....Leave	.....	11.25	7.50
Citrus	.....	11.35	8.05
Perris	.....	12.17	9.20
Murrietta.....Arrive	.....	1.10	11.10
*Murrietta.....Leave	.....	1.30	12.25
Oceanside	.....	3.38	2.15
San Diego	.....	5.22	6.05
National City.....Arrive	.....	5.40	6.30
Colton.....Leave	9.20	.....	.....
*San Bernardino	9.45	.....	.....
Victor	12.08	.....	.....
Barstow.....Arrive	1.20	.....	.....
	P. M.		
Barstow.....Leave	2.55	.....	.....
Victor	4.05	.....	.....
*San Bernardino	6.20	.....	.....
Colton.....Arrive	6.45	.....	.....
		A. M.	P. M.
National City.....Leave	.....	8.00	9.30
San Diego	.....	8.23	10.00
Oceanside	.....	10.07	12.20
*Murrietta.....Arrive	.....	12.07	.....
Murrietta.....Leave	.....	12.27	4.55
Perris	.....	1.19	6.05
*Colton.....Arrive	.....	2.10	7.25
Colton.....Leave	7.00	2.15	8.00
Pomona	7.50	3.02	8.51
San Gabriel	8.40	3.52	9.40
Los Angeles.....Arrive	9.00	4.15	10.00

BETWEEN COLTON AND SAN BERNARDINO.

	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Colton.....Leave	8.00	11.30	2.20	7.10
San Bernardino.Arrive	8.15	11.40	2.30	7.25
San Bernardino.Leave	7.20	11.05	1.55	6.40
Colton.....Arrive	7.35	11.15	2.05	6.50

RIVERSIDE BRANCH.

	Mixed. A. M.	Mixed. P. M.	Pass. A. M.
Colton.....Leave	9.20	7.15	11.20
Citrus	9.30	7.30	11.30
Riverside.....Arrive	9.42	7.50	11.50
		P. M.	P. M.
Riverside.....Leave	8.40	6.25	1.40
Citrus	8.52	6.45	1.52
Colton.....Arrive	9.02	7.00	2.05

*Meal stations.

Trains are run on Pacific standard time.

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2,000—Each, two 4-room, hard finish houses.

1,100—House, barn, etc., on Chicago ave., Boyle Heights; corner lot, 60x148.

25,000—A splendid business property, paying a good rent.

1,200—A 4-room house near Belmont Hotel.

2,500—A 5-room, good house, barn, shed, etc., King st., near Grand ave., lot 60x110.

45,000—114 ft. on Upper Main, running through to and being 150 feet on Alameda st.

25,000—65x89, cor. Upper Main and Bellevue ave.

2,000—100x117½, York st., near Grand ave.

1,000—Lots 13 and 34, block 5, Williamson tract.

13,000—66x150, Sixth st., opposite the park.

5,000—50x139, First st., near A., T. & S. F. depot grounds.

750—45x140, Court st., near Patten.

5,000—150x185, Adams st., cor. Severance.

2,000—Lots 11 and 12, block B, Bonnie Brae tract.

1,200—Lots 3 and 4, Terminus Homestead tract, East Los Angeles.

2,250—4-room house, nice lawn, hedge-fence, corner lot, 52x155.

2,000—Each, two lots, Ninth st., near Figueroa, each 50x150.

900—Each, lots 9, 11, 13, block 21, East Los Angeles.

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The entire tract is beautifully situated, with a charming view, pure air and water and perfect drainage. The Ostrich Farm Dummy Railroad runs through the tract, with a five-cent fare guaranteed to and from the center of the city. This road will be completed to the tract July 1, 1887. Pure and abundant water will be piped thro' all the streets.

The title to the property is absolutely perfect. A complete abstract will be kept in the office of the company for the inspection of all purchasers, and a certificate of title will be furnished to each buyer with his deed.

This tract is situated upon the hills, which are rapidly becoming the most desirable residence portion of the city. The soil is a warm, sandy loam, free from frost, being in what is known as the warm belt. The elevation is such that the temperature is more even than in the city.

NOTE—The first purchasers have first choice. Free carriage to the tract every day from the office of the agents, at 9 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. Maps and circulars and all information can be had from

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AZUSA,

THE LATEST OF THE FOOTHILLS BOOMERS.

George Gard's Town of Alosta Beats the Record in the Sale of Lots—Acre Property Gobbled Up with Avidity.

The foothills boom, which had its birth in Pasadena, and attained manhood's vigor in the space of two or three years, is reversing Greeley's advice and going east. It is an ambitious, aggressive, expanding boom, and no sooner conquers one segment of the original citrus belt than it sighs for other segments to conquer. No pent-up Utica contracts its powers. Having made a conquest successively of Pasadena, Olivewood, Lamanda Park, Sierra Madre, Monrovia and Duarte, last Monday it strode across the San Gabriel wash and gave Azusa a genuine shaking up.

There are two or three agricultural settlements in the Azusa country, the older of which are Azusa proper, Covina, Centro and Citrus. J. S. Slauson and associates recently laid out another town near the site of the old Dalton homestead. On the 10th of January last ex-Sheriff George E. Gard bought a tract of 161 acres well up in the foothills, paying therefor $12,000, or a trifle less than $75 an acre. Recently he sold one-half of the tract to Washburn & Underwood, of Pasadena, for $16,000, leaving him eighty acres and $4000 to boot as his margin of profit. The extension of the Los Angeles and San Gabriel Valley line through the Azusa country bisected Mr. Gard's tract, and about the middle of it the company located a depot. This was a pointer which a good many real-estate sharps were waiting for. Last Monday morning surveyors were set to work to lay off the prospective town of Alosta. A ready-made house was set up for an office, and L. H. Green, of the Monrovia real-estate firm of L. H. Green & Co., was on hand to look after matters. But the buyers were on hand as promptly as the surveyors and agent. They came in buggies from all along the foothills, and the ready-made house was the focus of a considerable assemblage from an early hour in the morning. Lots were sold as rapidly as they could be checked off on the map and receipts given for the advance payment. This continued while daylight lasted, and was then discontinued for lack of candle power. Tuesday morning the rush was renewed, and, by noon, all of the available lots had been disposed of. A certain number of business lots were laid off, 25x150 feet, and the residence lots were 50x150 and 55x300. A portion were reserved from each block, and the remainder—about 300 in all—were sold at an average of $250 a lot. The terms of payment were $25 cash on each lot, sufficient to make one-third of purchase price April 1st; another third in six months and the remaining third in a year. Before the general sale was concluded a number of lots had changed hands a second time at an advance of 50 per cent. over the original purchase price. The aggregate of the two days' sales must have been about $75,000—and this before the survey was completed, and without a single published announcement. This record is hard to beat. But, while the rush for lands focused at the ready-made house in the center of Alosta, the boom was also playing about the outskirts. Several of the staid fruit farmers of Azusa were tempted by offers of $300 to $500 an acre to part with their farms. Among the rest, W. T. Clark disposed of his 30-acre improved place for $15,000, some Los Angeles gentlemen being the purchasers. Yesterday the J. P. Haines tract, of 160 acres, lying immediately south of Alosta, was sold to a Monrovia syndicate for $56,000. This is to be subdivided as an addition to the town.

Monday and Tuesday the hitherto quiet Azusa four-corners presented a scene of unwonted activity. The hotel was taxed to its utmost capacity to feed its guests, and, at night, the hospitable farmers were enlisted as a contingent to furnish lodgings.

Judging from the experience of all horticultural settlements in Los Angeles county which have preceded it, there is a future of great prosperity awaiting the Azusa section. The soil is surpassingly fertile and strong. It is a friable loam, easily worked and exactly adapted to fruit culture. No other section of Southern California—not excepting the far-famed Riverside and Duarte—possesses the conditions of citrus-fruit culture in a higher degree. Orange and lemon trees are clean and vigorous, entirely free from red and white scale and but slightly affected by black. The fruit is of a high color and clean. Navel oranges produced here have sold this season as high as $3.50 per box on the trees. Other fruits are equally successful, among which may be named peaches, apricots, prunes, pears and the whole range of small fruits. Strawberries measuring from 4 to 5 inches in circumference are shown at the present time. The water supply is abundant, being derived from the San Gabriel, and distributed in ditches. In a decision of the Superior Court, allotting its water to the Azusa Company, the flow was specified as 1500 inches.

The town of Alosta, the rapid sale of whose lots is recounted above, is undoubtedly destined to be the focus of the Azusa country. The railroad line through this place is already graded, and the engineer in charge of the work gives assurances that trains will be running over it in about twenty days. The bridge across the San Gabriel wash is constructed and was traversed by an engine for the first time last Monday. The line of the Southern Pacific branch is being surveyed through the Azusa country and it will probably cross the Atchison and Topeka track at this point.

Alosta occupies a gently sloping bench, with exposure to the south and west. Level tests show that it is about as high as the roof of the Raymond Hotel. On the west it commands a sweeping view of the San Gabriel Valley, at the head of which it is located. A fine mountain prospect, comprehending the snow-clad peak of Old Baldy, is on the north and east.

The water supply for the town is to be brought from a series of springs and cienegas at the base of the mountains, three miles northeast, a tract of water-bearing land known as the Nolan place, having been purchased for the purpose. Three miles of four-inch pipe has been ordered to bring the water down. A temporary supply will be secured from the Azusa ditch.

Of course, improvements will now be the order of the day in the new town. A little building, to be used as a restaurant, was commenced Tuesday. The erection of a livery stable will be commenced next week. A Pasadena gentleman has secured a half block and proposes to erect forthwith a hotel to cost $10,000. It is hoped also that the depot will be built inside of a month. If all promises are carried out, Alosta will be a lively place from this time forth.

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Boys' straw sailor hats, all colors, 20 cents.

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175—46x160, Fort, bet. Third and Fourth	13,000
N.E. corner Second and Olive, 70x123, with small house	9,000
150x165, Hope and Twelfth	6,000
100—50x165, Flower, near Tenth	2,100
41—50x155, Flower, near Ninth	2,600
9—50x150, Hill, near Eleventh	3,700
149—60x165, Hill bet. First and Second	7,000

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Dr. M. Hilton Williams—DEAR SIR: I have been contemplating for some time past making a statement of my case and the benefit I have derived from your treatment, remembering how glad I would have been could I have seen something of the kind from a person in the city to whom I could have referred, when I first came to Los Angeles from my home in New York State.

I had been suffering for several years with what various physicians in the East pronounced "chronic ulcerated laryngitis." I spent considerable time at the Clifton Sanitarium, and employed the best medical skill I could find, all without any permanent benefit, and, a last resort, our family physician recommended Los Angeles. For a time I improved, and then I began to go backward and all my former symptoms returned.

Through a medical friend I was induced to try your treatment, which I did August 29, 1884. I become very much discouraged at times, but persevered, as I felt almost desperate and knew of nothing else to turn to. My throat trouble, being aggravated by a serious stomach difficulty, made it very obstinate to deal with, but at last, after persevering for a time with the use of your remedies, I consider I am permanently cured. If this will be of any value to you, you are at perfect liberty to use it; also to refer any one to my mother, my husband or myself. Very truly yours, MRS. J. D. WILEY, 821 Olive street, Los Angeles, Cal.

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Miss MINNIE H. HARRIS, Riverside, Cal.

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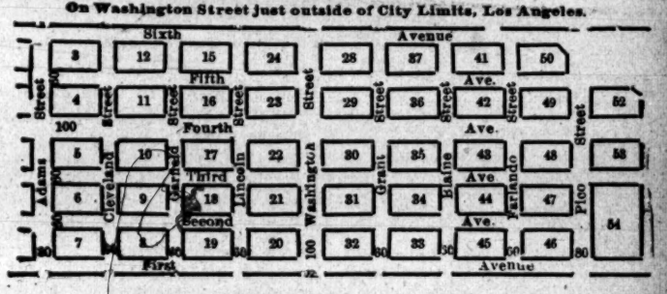

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